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BIRTHS.

On the 27th July, at her residence, Missenden Road, Newtown, the M. FARRELL, of a daughter.
On the 31st July, at Minnaville, Penrith, Mrs. JOSEPH D. HILL, of a son.
On the 3rd instant, at Hunter's Hill, the wife of BENJAMIN BRANAN, Esq., of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

On the 8th June, by the Rev. Dr. Bailey, of the Free Church England, Mr. HENRY JAMES WILLIS, 53, Liverpool-street, to EBRINE, daughter of the late Mr. PATRICK DUFFY, of Sydney.
On the 27th June, at the residence of Mr. J. F. Lorcombe, Brisbane, by the Rev. E. Griffiths, JOHN SIMMONS, of Brisbane, to CHRISTINA, third daughter of Mr. WYKES NORTON, Glebe, Sydney.
On the 25th July, by special license, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Dr. Fullerton, JAMES, eldest son of GEORGE QUINLAN, Glebe, to JULIANA, second daughter of SAMUEL LANE, builder, Darlinghurst.
On the 25th July, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. W. J. K. Piddington, SAMUEL HENRY, third son of Mr. W. HOWES, of Wickham-terrace, Brisbane, Queensland, to SARAH ANN, second daughter of G. L. ZILLMAN, Esq., of Woodville, near Brisbane.
On the 1st instant, at Ebenezer Congregational Church, Bathurst-street, by special license, by the Rev. S. Humphreys, JAMES JOHNSON, to MARTHA JANE, second daughter of Mr. EDWARD JOHNSON, Botany Road, Sydney.
On the 1st instant, at the York-street, Synagogue, by the Rev. B. Davis, assisted by the Rev. A. A. Levi, DAVID, third son of the late MOSES AARON GOULSTON, to DORAH, second daughter of the late ADOLPHUS AUSTIN.

DEATHS.

On the 6th July, at her residence, Denison-street, Kingston, Newtown, ELLEN, the beloved wife of JOHN COLLINS, aged 32 years, deeply lamented by all who knew her.
On the 30th July, at the residence of her son-in-law, George Houghton, 9, Little Brisbane-street, MARY RYAN, in the 70th year of her age, relict of the late Philip Ryan, Clanpel, Tipperary, Ireland.
On the 2nd instant, at North Richmond, MARY, the beloved wife of Mr. WILLIAM WILDER, in her 38th year.
On the 3rd instant, at her residence, Shepherd-street, Darlington, after a long and painful illness, which she bore with Christian fortitude, LYDIA, the beloved wife of A. POSTER, aged 32 years.
On the 3rd instant, at the residence of her grandfather, Dove Place, Erskine-street, of consumption, in the 13th year of her age, CATHERINE HANGRAVES, dear and eldest daughter of ROBERT HENDERSON, jun., Brisbane Water, and dearly beloved granddaughter of Mr. Robert Henderson, sen., Erskine-street.

SHIP ADVERTISEMENTS.

OVERLAND ROUTE TO ENGLAND.—The PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship,
BOMBAY,
1230 tons, 275 horse power,
G. C. Burne, commander,
will be dispatched for GALLE, with her Majesty's mails, passengers, specie, and cargo, on FRIDAY, the 24th August, 1866, at 2 p.m., touching at MELBOURNE and KING GEORGE'S SOUND.
Cargo will be received until 5 p.m on the 22nd, and parcels and parcels until noon of the 23rd.
For particulars regarding freight and passage, with information on all subjects connected with the PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Lines, apply to
HENRY MOORE, Agent.
Moore's Wharf, Sydney, 24th July, 1866.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
The steamers belonging to this Company start immediately after the arrival of the Mail at Alexandria.
Passage money from Alexandria to Trieste, £15.
Passengers can be booked in Sydney at the office of the undersigned, from whom all particulars can be obtained.
MONTEFIORES and TE KLOOT, Gresham-street, opposite Exchange.

PANAMA, NEW ZEALAND, AND AUSTRALIAN ROYAL MAIL COMPANY (Limited).
Central Office, Wellington, N. Z.
H. B. BENSON, General Manager.

NEW ZEALAND GOLD FIELDS.
HOKITIKA, GREY, NELSON, WELLINGTON, and PORT COOPER,
Taking passengers for TARANAKI,
CLAUD HAMILTON,
On or about August 18th, at 3 p.m.

AUCKLAND direct,
AUCKLAND,
H. Harris, commander,
With the English Mails (if arrived),
August 15th.

ENGLAND via PANAMA,
HAKAIA,
1500 tons, 400-horse power,
S. H. Wright, Commander.
PANAMA, via WELLINGTON, N. Z.,
SATURDAY, September 1st, at 3 p.m.
Passengers can proceed by this route to all parts of America, California, Valparaiso, the West Indies, &c.
Also via France, to all parts of the Continent.
GOLD AND SPECIE.
Freight delivered at the Bank of England.
Twenty shillings per cent.
W. WOODS, Agent.
Grafton Wharf, August 2nd.

S. S. HAKAIA.—This vessel will be OPEN for VISITORS THIS DAY and MONDAY, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Steamers leave the Grafton Wharf every half-hour.
W. WOODS, Agent.

QUEENSLAND STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIP,
LADY BOWEN,
T. A. Lake, commander,
will be dispatched on FRIDAY, 10th instant, at 5 o'clock p.m., for
BRISBANE and IPSWICH;
taking passengers and cargo for transhipment at BRISBANE per
s.s. QUEENSLAND, for
MARYBOROUGH, GLADSTONE, and ROCKHAMPTON.
For further particulars apply to
W. WESTGARTH, Manager.
Q. S. N. Co.'s Wharf, Sussex-street.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS BY THE A. S. N. CO.'S STEAMSHIPS TO MELBOURNE AND QUEENSLAND.—On and after 1st August, no GOODS will be received for shipment to any of the above ports on the DAY OF SAILING of each steamer after 3 o'clock p.m. On all OTHER DAYS, goods will be received up to 5 o'clock p.m.
As the above will be STRICTLY ENFORCED, shippers are requested to arrange accordingly.
SAMUEL CLARK, Manager.
A. S. N. Co.'s Wharf, 21st July, 1866.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS
MELBOURNE.—CITY OF BRISBANE, THIS AFTERNOON, SATURDAY, at 5; and ALEXANDRA, TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 5.
HUNTER RIVER.—COONANBARA, TONIGHT, SATURDAY, at 11; and CULLAROY, MONDAY NIGHT, at 11.
CLARENCE TOWN.—COONANBARA, WEDNESDAY NIGHT, at 11.
PATERSON RIVER.—Goods received and forwarded per COONANBARA, on SATURDAY NIGHT.
BRISBANE.—TELEGRAPH, THIS AFTERNOON, SATURDAY, at 5; and FLORENCE IRVING, TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 5.
MARYBOROUGH.—EAGLE, FRIDAY AFTERNOON, at 5.
ROCKHAMPTON.—BALCLUTHA (for Passengers only), THIS AFTERNOON, SATURDAY, at 5.
from BRISBANE to ROCKHAMPTON, calling at MARYBOROUGH and GLADSTONE.—LEICHHARDT, MONDAY, 6th instant.
from ROCKHAMPTON to PIONEER RIVER and PORT DENISON.—TINONEE, about TUESDAY, 7th instant.
Cargo is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.
SAMUEL CLARK, Manager.
Q. S. N. Co.'s Wharf, Sussex-street.

HUNTER RIVER NEW STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMERS until the 11th August inclusive.
From SYDNEY to MORPETH.
CITY OF NEWCASTLE, MONDAYS and THURSDAYS, at 7 a.m.
MORPETH, TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, at 11 p.m.
Goods received for CLARENCE TOWN on WEDNESDAYS; MILLER'S FOREST on FRIDAYS; PATERSON Township on SATURDAYS.
Freight on goods for Miller's Forest and the Paterson to be paid in Sydney.
From MORPETH to SYDNEY.
MORPETH, MONDAYS and THURSDAYS, at 4.30 a.m.
CITY OF NEWCASTLE, TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, at 2 p.m.
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Offices—foot of Market-street.

AND R.R.S.N. Co.'s Steamship BALLINA, for the RICHMOND RIVER direct, on TUESDAY, 7 p.m.
WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Secretary.

WATSON'S BAY STEAMER.—On SUNDAY, the VESTA leaves
Circular Quay. Woolloomooloo. Watson's Bay.
9.30, 2.30. 10.30, 2.45. 12 and 4.45.
Return tickets, 1s.

SHIP ADVERTISEMENTS.

PARRAMATTA AND RIVER STEAMERS.—The swift and commodious steamers BLACK SWAN, EMU, PELICAN, PEARL, or COURIER, from Patent Slip Wharf, bottom of Erskine-street, DAILY.
To COCKATOO, HUNTER'S HILL, and GLADESVILLE (nearest wharf to the Asylum), 7, 9, and 11 a.m.; 1, 3.15, 5, 5.45, and 11 p.m.
To RYDE, 7, 9, and 11 a.m.; 1, 3.15, and 5 p.m.
To PARRAMATTA, 9 and 11 a.m.; 1 and 5 p.m.

From PARRAMATTA, 7 and 11 a.m.; 1 and 3 p.m.
From RYDE, at 7.40, 8.40, 11.40; 1.40; 3.40, and 4.25.
From GLADESVILLE, at 8, 9, 12; 2, 4, 4.45, and 6.45
From HUNTER'S HILL, at a quarter past these hours.

TO-MORROW, SUNDAY.
TO COCKATOO and HUNTER'S HILL, 9, 9.30, 2.30, and 6.
To GLADESVILLE and RYDE, 9, 2.30, and 6.
To PARRAMATTA, 9 and 6.
Returning at the usual hours.
Fares at the lowest rates as advertised.

STEAM TO BRISBANE WATER.—The BLACK SWAN, TUESDAY and FRIDAY next. Patent Slip Wharf.

ILLAWARRA S. N. COMPANY'S STEAMERS TO
ULLADULLA.—Comerang, on MONDAY, at 10 a.m.
MORUYA.—Comerang, on MONDAY, at 10 a.m.
CLYDE RIVER.—Kembla, on MONDAY, at 1 p.m.
WOLLONGONG.—Kiama, on MONDAY, at 11 p.m.
KIAMA.—Kiama, on MONDAY, at 11 p.m.
SHOALHAVEN.—Hunter, on TUESDAY, at 11 p.m.
MERIMBULA.—Kiama, on WEDNESDAY, at 10 a.m.

PARRAMATTA RIVER STEAM COMPANY.
COCKATOO, HUNTER'S HILL, and TARBAN CREEK, nearest Wharf to the ASYLUM and GLADESVILLE.—STEAMER THIS DAY from end of King-street, 7, 8.30, 10.30 a.m., 1, 2.45, 4.20, 6, and 11 p.m.; leaving Tarban 8, 9.45, 11.15, 1.50, 5, 6.50.

HUNTER'S HILL, COCKATOO, GLADESVILLE, and RYDE.—Steamer from foot of King-street, TO-MORROW (Sunday), at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.; and for Hunter's Hill and Tarban only at 5.30 p.m. Leaves Ryde for Sydney 10.30 and 4; Gladesville 10.50, 4.20; Hunter's Hill 11, 4.30, 6.25; Tarban 6.20.
Fares throughout: Cabin return, 1s; children return, 6d.

FOR MELBOURNE direct.—
BLACKBIRD,
1000 tons, Captain Sawell, will be dispatched direct on
SATURDAY AFTERNOON,
the 4th instant.
For freight immediate application is necessary to JOSEPH WARD and CO., Agents, 318, George-street.

STEAM TO HOBART TOWN.—CITY OF HOBART,
John Clinch, commander,
will sail from Grafton Wharf, on or about
SATURDAY, 11th August.

Saloon	£8
Return tickets (available 4 months) ..	13
Steerage	4

WILLIS, MERRY, and LLOYD, Agents, 100, Pitt-street.

MANLY BEACH STEAMERS, THIS DAY—leave

Queen's Wharf	10.15, 2.30
Woolloomooloo	10.30, 2.45
Manly Beach	8.15, 12, 5.
SUNDAY.	
Queen's Wharf	10.15, 2.30
Woolloomooloo	10.30, 2.45
Manly Beach	12, 5.

S. H. WILSON.

SHOALHAVEN.—LADY OF THE LAKE, THIS DAY, at 2 p.m., from Roddam's Wharf.

FOR the BELLENGER RIVER.—The COMET, from Commercial Wharf, This Day. W. Dalton, agent.

BELLINGER RIVER.—ISLE OF THANET, receiving cargo at Roddam's Wharf. Leaves on 9th.

GRILLA, for MANNING RIVER.—For freight apply on board, Baltic Wharf.

DARKWATER CREEK, Macleay River.—Ketch NUMBA sails on TUESDAY next. T. M'Caffery, Victoria Wharf.

RICHMOND RIVER, PELICAN TREE, and LISMORE.—Schooner WALLABY, now receiving cargo. Freight payable on shipment.
Baltic Wharf.

FOR MACLEAY.—The new schooner SARAH NICOLL. Will sail on TUESDAY.
For freight or passage apply on board, Victoria Wharf; or G. R. NICOLL, Agent, Lime Wharf.

FOR THE MANNING RIVER.—The MARTHA, from the Commercial Wharf, THIS DAY, 2 p.m.

SCHOONER COLLEEN BAWN, for the MANNING RIVER, first fair wind. Henry Clarke, Victoria Wharf.

FOR BRISBANE.—The clipper schooner SARAH AND MARY, Baker, master, will have immediate dispatch. For freight or passage apply to W. HEZLETT, Sussex-street; or T. G. SAWKINS, Exchange.

FOR ROCKHAMPTON and NORTHERN PORTS. The Clipper Brig WOODLARK. LAIDLEY, IRELAND, and CO.

FOR MELBOURNE direct.—The clipper schooner DAVID AND JESSIE, Captain M'Meekan, will be ready to receive cargo on SATURDAY. For freight or passage apply to T. G. SAWKINS, Exchange.

FIRST VESSEL for AUCKLAND direct.—The favourite clipper brig RITA, A. Robertson, commander; now hourly expected, will have her usual and punctual dispatch.
For freight or passage apply to MOLISON and BLACK, 96, New Pitt-street.

FOR NAPIER direct.—The clipper schooner VISTULA, J. Paton, master, now hourly expected, will be dispatched five days after arrival.
For freight or passage apply to MOLISON and BLACK, 96, New Pitt-street.

FOR NAVIGATOR ISLANDS.—The A1 clipper schooner ST. KILDA will be dispatched on MONDAY next. Has superior accommodation for saloon passengers.
For freight or passage apply to GEORGE A. LLOYD and CO., George-street.

FOR JAVA.—The new clipper ship NIEUWE WATERWEG, 1416 tons register, having most of her freight engaged, will be dispatched about the end of the month. Has good accommodation for cabin and steerage passengers.
Apply to Captain HEYMERIKS, on board; or BLIGH, HARROTTLE, and CO, Macquarie-place.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
The WILLIAM COLE sails in a few days. Has room for a few Cabin Passengers at a low rate. Apply to SAUNDERS and CO., Lyons-buildings, George-street.

FOR LONDON direct.—The well-known and favourite first-class Aberdeen clipper ship WOOLLOOMOOLOO, 620 tons register, Archibald Donald, commander, having a good portion of her cargo engaged, and being a small vessel, will meet with quick dispatch.
Wool received at Talbot's Stores.
For freight or passage apply to Captain DONALD, on board, at Circular Quay, or LEARMONTH, DICKINSON, and CO., Charlotte-place.

FOR LONDON.—The A1 14 years Aberdeen clipper ship SIR JOHN LAWRENCE, 879 tons register, Alexander D. Fernie, commander, having a considerable portion of her dead weight and a large quantity of light freight engaged and down, will have immediate dispatch. The saloon accommodations are superior, being roomy and well ventilated.
For freight or passage apply to Captain FERNIE, on board, at Circular Quay; or to MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

MONEY WIGRAM and SONS' LINE OF PACKETS, from MELBOURNE to LONDON.—To sail on WEDNESDAY, 15th August.—The celebrated clipper-ship TRUE BRITON, 1200 tons, G. H. Bawn, commander. The accommodation for all classes are of a very superior description, and an experienced surgeon accompanies the ship.
RATES FROM MELBOURNE.

Saloon (according to accommodation required),	
Second cabin	£30
Third cabin	£18 to £20
Steerage	£16.

Apply to J. B. METCALFE and CO., 9, Bridge-street.

SHIP ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR LONDON.—The new clipper ship SIR WILLIAM WALLACE, 967 tons register, having all her dead weight engaged, will have prompt dispatch.
Wool received at Flood's Blackwall Stores.
Carries an experienced surgeon, and has splendid poop accommodation for passengers.
Apply on board; or to GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

FOR LONDON direct.—Black Ball Line of Clipper Ships, for gold and passengers only.
The favourite Clipper Ship,
FLYING CLOUD,
1139 tons register,
David Morgans, Commander,
will sail on WEDNESDAY, 15th August.
An experienced surgeon accompanies the ship.
Excellent accommodation.
Saloon, cabin, and steerage.

Saloon	£50
Second cabin	30
Steerage	18

YOUNG, LARK, and BENNETT.
WILLIS, MERRY, and LLOYD.

SHIP HARLAW, from London.—CONSIGNEES of goods per above vessel are requested to pass their ENTRIES for the Circular Quay without delay. Any goods impeding the discharge will be landed and stored at their expense and risk. Bills of lading must be produced, and freight paid, at the office of the undersigned, where delivery orders may be obtained.
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

SHIP BEEMAH, from London.—If ENTRIES for the undermentioned goods are not passed before 10 o'clock TO-DAY, the goods will be entered, landed, and stored at consignee's risk and expense:—
LD—160 cases, consigned to Order
AC over TS in diamond—10 packages, consigned to Order
W over ⌣—7 cases, consigned to Order
LD—100 cases, consigned to Order
AC over S—20 bags, consigned to A. Chenneer
PF&Co. in double diamond—8 packages, consigned to P. Falk
D&S over S—5 packages, consigned to Order
CB in diamond over W S—3 packages, consigned to Order
D and H in cross—2 cases, consigned to Order
TM in diamond—45 cases, consigned to Order
RT in diamond—45 cases, consigned to Order
FxMc—42 cases—consigned to Order
DD—100 barrels, consigned to Order.
SAUNDERS and CO., agents, Lyons-buildings.

CHARTERS.—The undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the N. S. W. CO-OPERATIVE COAL MINING COMPANY, are prepared on their behalf to charter vessels at current rates for the following ports, viz.:—
HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, BOMBAY, SINGAPORE, MAURITIUS, JAVA, SAN FRANCISCO, NEW ZEALAND, and other Intercolonial ports.
LAIDLEY, IRELAND, and CO., Lloyd's Chambers.

CHARTER.—VESSEL Wanted, to load Coals from Sydney or Newcastle for Java, and thence to proceed to Great Britain.
Also, VESSEL for conveyance of 300 to 400 tons to Singapore.
Apply to MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO., O'Connell-street.

CHARTER.—Wanted, VESSELS to convey coal from NEWCASTLE to the INDIAN and MOLUCCOS ARCHIPELAGOS. W. H. ELDRED, Exchange-corner.

CHARTERS.—Wanted, to charter VESSELS for the conveyance of COAL from NEWCASTLE to AUCKLAND and MANUKAU, New Zealand. LAIDLEY, IRELAND, and CO., Lloyd's-chambers.

THE SHIP BEEMAH will not be answerable for any debts contracted by the crew.
E. G. HAWKINS, Master.

VESSELS required for RICHMOND RIVER. Highest rates. Cargo ready. C. W. RUDD, 81, Pitt-st.

WANTED, a VESSEL to load cedar at the Richmond River. Apply at Blair's Timber Yard, Sussex-st.

BOATS for SALE of all descriptions, also a new waterman's Skiff. Russell's Ship Yard, Pyrmont.

CHIEF CABIN PASSAGE to LONDON to be DISPOSED of at a reduction. M. A. B., HERALD Office.

AUSTRALIAN JOINT-STOCK BANK.—SOFALA BRANCH Opened for business THIS DAY.
FRANCIS ADAMS, pro General Manager.
Sydney, 2nd July.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Branches of this Bank are now open at SOFALA in this colony, and at WARWICK in the colony of Queensland.
SHEPHERD SMITH, General Manager.
Sydney, 3rd July, 1866.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—A BRANCH of this Bank is now open at the corner of William and Palmer streets, Woolloomooloo.
SHEPHERD SMITH, General Manager.
Sydney, 17th July, 1866.

COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY.
NOTICE is hereby given, that BRANCHES of this Bank are now OPENED for the transaction of all usual banking business, at
Berrima
Bombala
Inverell, New England
Kempsey, Macleay River
Mudgee
Shoalhaven
Gunnedah, Namoi River
Narrabri, ditto.
ROBERT NAPIER, Manager.
Sydney, 25th July, 1866.

COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY.—Notice is hereby given, that a Special General MEETING of the shareholders of the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney will be held on FRIDAY, the 17th day of August instant, at the Head Office of the Company, in George-street, Sydney, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of obtaining their sanction and authority for the Board of Directors to make application to the Parliament of New South Wales for an Act to amend an Act passed in the 11th year of her present Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to incorporate the Proprietors of a certain Banking Company called the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney," and for other purposes therein mentioned, by repealing the sixth, seventh, and seventeenth sections of the said last-mentioned Act, and substituting others in lieu thereof; and to enable the said Company to increase its capital and to carry on its further operations, and for other purposes.
By order of the Board,
ROBERT NAPIER, Manager.
Sydney, 1st August, 1866

CIVIL SERVICE.—An Adjourned MEETING of all Persons in the Civil Service will be held at the Civil Service Club, Macquarie-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 6th instant, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the consideration of the Draft Bill for Regulating the Civil Service, prepared by the committee appointed for that purpose, at the meeting of the 22nd May last.
E. DEAS THOMSON, Chairman.

CIVIL SERVICE CLUB.—A Ballot MEETING of the members will be held at the Club House, on TUESDAY, the 7th instant, at 4 o'clock p.m.
STEWART M. MOWLE, Hon. Sec.

AUSTRALIAN GAS LIGHT COMPANY'S Office, Sydney, 31st July, 1866.—NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General MEETING of this Company will be held at the Company's office, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th August next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the report of the directors for the past half-year, to consider of a dividend, to elect directors in the stead of those who retire by rotation or otherwise, to appoint auditors, and to transact such other business as may be brought forward in conformity with rule.
By order of the Board,
R. MANSFIELD, Secretary.

SYDNEY CO-OPERATIVE HAY, CORN, FODDER, AND PRODUCE COMPANY (Limited).—Notice.—At a meeting of the Directors held at the Company's premises, 571, Kent-street, on the 31st of July, 1866, it was moved by Mr. J. Donald Harris, seconded by Mr. F. Winch, and carried unanimously,—
"That the Directors, induced by the large number of shares applied for and duly allotted, having taken premises, purchased stock, and incurred various expenses in the due and faithful discharge of their duties, and in furtherance of the objects of the Company, beg respectfully to notify that, in justice to those shareholders who have paid, all parties holding shares on which instalments remain overdue and unpaid after the seventh day of August, now next ensuing, will be proceeded against under the 13th section of the Provident and Industrial Societies' Act in such case made and provided."
W. W. BUCKNELL, Chairman.
Sydney, 1st August, 1866.
N.B. Shareholders are requested to pay their instalments to Mr. Thomas Henry Jones, the manager and secretary; or to Mr. F. Winch, resident director, on the premises.

ST. MARY'S PRESBYTERY.—Subscriptions at the doors of the Temporary Cathedral, towards the erection of the new Presbytery, will be received before each of the Masses for the next four Sundays.
St. Mary's Cathedral, 4th August.

PERSONS ADVERTISED FOR.

MR. C. B. AMOS is requested to call on Mr. HILLY, Architect, Pitt-street, on business of importance.

MR. HERBERT MIELL, Salisbury, England, WRITE to Sandhurst, with address. Bad news from home.

REV. J. J. WESTWOOD PREACHES Lord's Day, 3 o'clock, near Museum, Hyde Park; Hebrew School, Pitt-street, 7 o'clock. Subject: "David's Dying Song."

LONDON MISSIONARY SOCIETY.—A Public Missionary MEETING will be held in the Congregational Church (Rev. J. E. Vetch's), Woollahra, on MONDAY EVENING, August 6th, at half-past 7 o'clock. The Missionaries, the Revs. J. P. Sunderland and J. E. Vetch will take part in the meeting.
On TUESDAY EVENING, August 7th, there will be a Missionary MEETING in Bourke-street Congregational Church, at half-past 7; the Rev. T. Johnson will preside. The Missionaries, Revs. J. Graham and J. P. Sunderland will address the meeting on the claims of the South Sea Missions.
Collections in aid of the funds of the society.

THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE PRIMITIVE METHODIST SABBATH SCHOOL, KENT-STREET, will be held next LORD'S DAY, August 5th. The Rev. B. KENNY (of Parramatta) will preach in the morning at 11, and in the evening at half-past 6 o'clock,
A SERVICE
will be held in the afternoon, at 3 o'clock, when a number of select and interesting pieces will be recited and hymns sung by the children.
On MONDAY, August 6th,
A PUBLIC TEA
will be provided at half-past 6. After which a
PUBLIC MEETING
will be held. Chair to be taken by W. PRATT, Esq., and addresses delivered by the Revs. B. KENNY, G. JAMES, T. JOHNSON, Dr. BEG, J. SHARPE, J. STUDDS, and others; also, several pieces will be recited by the children. Talk
Tickets for the Tea, 1s 6d each, may be obtained of any of the Teachers, or at the door previous to the meeting.
A collection will be made at the close of each service in behalf of the School Fund.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Phillip-street.—There will be SERVICE TO-MORROW, as usual. The Rev JOHN GEDDIE, of the New Hebrides Mission, will PREACH in the MORNING, at 11 o'clock.

SCOTS CHURCH.—New Hebrides Mission.—The Rev. JAMES COSH, of the New Hebrides Mission, will conduct Divine Service in the Scots Church, TO-MORROW (Sabbath) EVENING.

THE CURACOA and the NEW HEBRIDES MISSIONARIES.—In consequence of misconceptions of the conduct of the Missionaries in reference to the visit of H. M. S. Curacoa to the New Hebrides, a PUBLIC MEETING will be held in the Scots' Church, Church-hill, on MONDAY EVENING, the 6th instant, at half-past 7 o'clock, to hear the report of a deputation to Commodore Sir William Wiseman, Bart., C.B., on the subject. The Hon. S. D. Gordon, M.L.C., will preside.

NEW HEBRIDES MISSION.—A Public MEETING, to take FAREWELL of the Missionaries about to proceed to the New Hebrides, will be held in ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, Castlereagh-street, on TUESDAY EVENING, 7th instant, at half-past 7 o'clock. Professor Smith, of the University, will preside, and the meeting will be addressed by the Missionaries and other Ministers. A collection will be made on behalf of the mission vessel Day Spring.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN BIBLE SOCIETY.—A Public MEETING will be held at the Congregational Schoolroom, Point Piper Road, Paddington, on WEDNESDAY EVENING next, the 8th August, at half-past 7 o'clock, for the purpose of recognising the Ladies' Association in connexion with the above society. The Rev. Dr. TUCKER will deliver a Lecture on the general operations of the society. The chair will be taken by JOHN CALDWELL, Esq., M.L.A.

NEWTOWN MUNICIPALITY.—In compliance with a requisition signed by Messrs. Cashman, Chard, and six other gentlemen, I hereby convene a PUBLIC MEETING of the ratepayers of this Municipality, on MONDAY EVENING, 6th instant, at 8 o'clock, at the School of Arts, Newtown, for the purpose of eliciting their wishes as regards the recovering from the bondsmen of the late Council Clerk the amounts of their respective bonds.
WILLIAM CURTIS, Chairman.
Council Chambers, August 3rd, 1866.

PROTESTANT ALLIANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY.—MEETING will be held in the Schoolroom, Bathurst-street, on TUESDAY EVENING next, at half-past 7 o'clock sharp. JAMES GRAHAM, Secretary.

THE late RICHARD COBDEN, Esq., M.P., the Politician, the Philanthropist, and the Patriot.—A LECTURE on the above, by Rev. F. HIBBERD, in the Hall of Temperance, on TUESDAY EVENING, the 7th instant, at 8 o'clock. The proceeds of the Lecture will be devoted to the Hall Fund. Admission, 1s. Tickets can be had at the Hall, or of any of the committee.

THE CHATFIELD FUND.—The following gentlemen have kindly consented to receive SUBSCRIPTIONS on behalf of the Widow and Family of the late Captain Chatfield:—

Richard Jones, Esq.	Christopher Rolleston, Esq.,
The Rev. Hulton S. King	Auditor General
John Alger, Esq.	Dr. Muller
Philip Somer, Esq.	Isaac Wellbank, Esq.
Captain Shanks	T. W. Wilson, Esq.
Mr. Alfred James Lewington	Mr. W. Bennett
Mr. J. J. Ryan	Mr. H. S. Bird.
Captain Munro	Mr. R. F. Philips

And all Commanders in the A. S. N. Co.'s service.

WRECKS' RELIEF FUND.—APPLICATIONS for relief may be forwarded for immediate consideration, to the undersigned.
The Committee will require the following particulars from applicants:—
The relationship of the applicant to the person lost by the recent wrecks.
Name of vessel.
If widow, state what family is left without provision for their support, their number, ages, and sex.
If children—who have lost both parents, and are now depending for support upon other relations—particulars of relationship, if any.
The Committee will require all applications to be certified by two magistrates, or a minister of religion and one householder.
R. T. MOODIE, JAMES POWELL, } Secretaries.
8, Custom House Buildings, Circular Quay.

WRECKS RELIEF COMMITTEE.
SUBSCRIPTION LISTS, bearing the signature of one of the Secretaries, may be obtained upon application, and it is requested that subscribers will be careful to place their names upon lists only so signed.
ROBERT T. MOODIE, JAMES POWELL, } Joint Secretaries.
Custom House-buildings, Circular Quay.

WRECKS RELIEF COMMITTEE.—It is requested that all communications be addressed to either of the undersigned, at No. 8, Custom House-buildings, Sydney.
ROBERT T. MOODIE, JAMES POWELL, } Joint Secretaries.

WRECKS RELIEF FUND.—Holders of Lists, collecting for the above-named Fund, are respectfully requested to send the names of subscribers, and amounts subscribed, to the undersigned, or to Mr. JOSEPH THOMPSON, Potts' Point, in order that lists may be prepared for publication.
ROBERT T. MOODIE, JAMES POWELL, } Secretaries.

RIFLE ASSOCIATION of N. S. W.—Mr. J. A. CAVANOUGH has been appointed COLLECTOR for the present year.
WALTER LAMB, F. C. BREWER, } Honorary Secretaries.
3rd August.

VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.—Shot PRACTICE will be carried on from Dawes' Battery, THIS DAY, at 3 p.m. Undress uniform.
P. L. C. SHEPHERD, Captain.
Assistant Inspector Volunteer Artillery.

NO. 2 VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given to the members of the above Company that the Station for the Small Engine will, from this day, be at Mr. Wyatt's, Pitt-street.
W. CAMB, Superintendent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all Goods stored at my Rooms for three months past, viz.—In the insolvent estates of W. Thompson and others; also under distraint for rent, M'Mahon v. Taylor and others;—if not redeemed within fourteen days from this date, will be sold by public auction to defray claims and expenses.
H. VAUGHAN, 149, (late 141), King-street East.
July 27th, 1866.

NEWTOWN SCHOOL OF ARTS.—The Committee have pleasure in announcing that arrangements have been made for a regular supply of Library Books.
B. HARDAKER, Hon. Sec. pro tem.

NOTICE.—If Mr. SAMUEL PARKINSON, Surveyor, does not call within seven days on Mr. HILLS, Narellan, to release the articles left in his care, they will be sold to defray expenses. August 2nd, 1866.

Custom House, Sydney, 28th July, 1866.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the sale of OVERTIME GOODS advertised to take place in the Queen's Warehouse, on MONDAY next, is unavoidably postponed until MONDAY, the 13th August, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.
W. A. DUNCAN, Collector of Customs.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given, that the copartnership carried on for some time past at Brisbane, between WILLIAM PERRY and FREDERIC WILLIAM PERRY, under the firm of "Perry, Brothers," as Ironmongers, has been dissolved by mutual consent.
Mr. William Perry is empowered to discharge and settle all debts due to and by the said copartnership concern.
Dated this twenty-seventh day of July, A.D. 1866.
WILLIAM PERRY.
FREDERIC WILLIAM PERRY.
Witness to both signatures, W. K. MACNISH, Solicitor, Brisbane.

Referring to the above advertisement, the undersigned begs to inform his friends that the above business will hereafter be carried on by himself on his sole account, under the style of "Perry, Brothers."
WILLIAM PERRY.

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.—I have admitted Mr. WILLIAM MARSHALL JACKSON and Mr. WILLIAM JONATHAN GREEN as Partners in my business, which will in future be carried on under the name of F. LASSETTER and CO.
FREDERIC LASSETTER.

AUSTRALIAN AGRICULTURAL COMPANY.—NOTICE is hereby given that, from this date, and until further notice, the price of this Company's BEST SCREENED COAL, delivered at the staiths, will be Eight Shillings and Threepence (8s. 3d.) per ton.
(Signed) EDWARD C. MEREWETHER,
General Superintendent A. A. Company.
Newcastle, April 18th, 1866.

WESTERN KEROSENE OIL COMPANY (Limited).—NOTICE is hereby given, that a First CALL of 2s. 6d. per share on PREFERENTIAL SHARES in the above Company, has been made, payable to the credit of the Company at the Commercial Bank, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 15th August next.
By order of the Board of Directors.
A. ASHDOWN, Chairman.
Mort's Buildings, Pitt-street, Sydney, July 2nd.

I EXTREMELY REGRET having made use of any insulting words towards Mrs. MARY ANN MARTIN, at the George-street Markets; and trust that she will accept this APOLOGY as reparation for the same, as the words used were entirely unfounded and uncalled for. 3rd August. (Signed) J. M'KENNA.

NOTICE.—University Paddocks.—A Brown HORSE, branded 1F near shoulder, will be sold in seven days, unless the agistment is sooner paid. C. F. DAVIS.

UNIVERSITY PADDOCKS.—Persons having Horses in these paddocks are informed that the same may be found on Elswick Estate, where they will be charged one shilling and sixpence per week from this date. C. F. DAVIS.

NOTICE.—M. CLARK, Hackney Carriage Proprietor, in returning thanks for the liberal support he has received for the last eight years in the above business, wishes to inform the inhabitants of Woolloomooloo, Darling Point, Double Bay, and the public in general, that he has seven first-class CARRIAGES for HIRE. Private close and open carriages by the day or week, weddings and country jobs contracted for on reasonable terms, and by paying the highest wages he has secured the services of the best coachmen in Sydney. House, 203, William-street; Stables, Victoria-street, and Bayswater Hotel, Double Bay.

NOTICE.—All the BUKKULLA WINE sufficiently matured for bottling has been sold. Orders will be received, but cannot be executed before next summer.
J. D. LANKESTER, jun., Manager.
Pro WYNDHAM and LINDEMAN.
Exchange Cellars, Sydney, 26th June.

NOTICE.—At the request of Mr. THOMAS DAWSON, Auctioneer, we beg to state that the 100 head of cattle advertised by us on the 4th instant, for SALE, by order of Messrs. Dangar, Brothers, was in error.
The advertisement should have read, bred by Dangar, Brothers—Mr. Dawson being the regular agent for those gentlemen.
S. C. BURT and CO., Pitt and Castlereagh streets.
July 27.

NOTICE.—The undersigned will not be answerable for any DEBTS contracted in his name without the written authority of himself or Mrs. Roberts. HENRY L. ROBERTS, 217, Macquarie-street, and New Wharf Coal Depot, Druitt-street.

ANONYMOUS WRITER.—Please send your name, to prevent misconception. J. CALDER, Sen.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—APPLICATIONS having been made to bring the Lands hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificates of indefeasible title will issue, unless Caveats be lodged in form B of the said Act, on or before the dates named opposite each case respectively.

Property.	Names of Applicants	Residence.	Date up to and inclusive of which Caveat may be lodged.
			1866.
NO. 853, PARISH OF BULLANAMING, ENMORE ROAD—2 roods 16 perches: Commencing at the north-east corner of Wheeler's land; bounded on the east by the Enmore Road 132 feet to Pillar's land; north by Pillar's land, 193 feet to a reserved lane; east by the said lane, 132 feet; south by Wheeler's land, 198 feet. Also, 2 roods, commencing in Emily-street at the north-east corner of Pritchard's fence; bounded on the north by Emily-street, 60 feet; east by a line south, 396 feet; south by Cowper-street, 60 feet; west by Pritchard's land, 396 feet; the whole comprising lots 3 and 4 of section 2, and part of lots 4 and 11 of section 3 of G. A. Lloyd's subdivision	Charles Chapman ..	Sydney	August 14.
No. 1226, ATHLONE-PLACE, SYDNEY—28 perches bounded on the west by Athlone-place, 97 feet; south by a lane, 79 feet; east by May-street, 97 feet; north by Mrs. Pardoe's land, 79 feet; being part of a subdivision by Thomas Inglis	John Goddes	Sydney	August 14.
No. 1250, GLADESVILLE, 23 acres 2 roods 30 perches, being section 17, and 8 acres, being lots 9 and 10 of section 8, of Farnell's subdivision of the Grove Estate, and part of 285 acres originally granted to William Raven	John Le Gay Brereton.....	Sydney	August 14.
No. 1274, ST. MARY'S, SOUTH CREEK—1 acre 3 roods 3 perches; bounded on the south by the Great North Road, 3 chains; west by a reserved street, 5 chains 80 links; north by Waters-street, 3 chains; east by property of James Herring, 6 chains; being lots 15, 16, and 17, of M'Culloch's subdivision of the O'Connell Estate, late the property of John Page	Robert Saddington..	Sydney	August 11.
No. 1275, ST. MARY'S, SOUTH CREEK—273 acres: Commencing at the north-east corner of Dempsey's land; and bounded on the north by Putland-street, 24 chains 10 links; east, again north, and west by the Catholic Church land; again north by Putland-street, 12 chains; again east by Windsor Road, 54 chains 39 links; south by Fitzgerald's fence, 22 chains 50 links; south-west and west by the South Creek, downwards, to the south-west corner of Dempsey's land aforesaid; again north by that land, 19 chains, 50 links; again west by a line 11 chains to the point of commencement, comprising the premises known as "Page's Tannery."	Robert Saddington..	Sydney	August 14.
No. 1280, PARISH OF AUBURN, COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND—50 acres, originally granted to the late Peter Murphy	Thomas Murphy ..	Mangrove Creek, near Windsor ..	August 14.
No. 1281, PARISH OF AUBURN, COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND—20 acres on the Macdonald River, originally granted to the late Peter Murphy	Thomas Murphy....	Mangrove Creek, near Windsor ..	August 14.
No. 1282, VILLAGE OF ST. ALBANS, MACDONALD RIVER—2 roods; lot 6 of section 5, originally granted to the late Peter Murphy	Thomas Murphy....	Mangrove Creek, near Windsor ..	August 14.
No. 1283, VILLAGE OF ST. ALBANS, MACDONALD RIVER—2 roods; lot 15 of section 2, originally granted to the late Peter Murphy	Thomas Murphy....	Mangrove Creek, near Windsor ..	August 14.
No. 1284, PARISH OF WYONG, COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND—43 acres near Jilliby Jilliby Creek, originally granted to James Morris	Thomas Murphy....	Mangrove Creek, near Windsor ..	August 11.
No. 1316, TOWN OF MOREE, COUNTY OF COURALLIE—1 acre; lots 4 and 9 of section 43, containing 2 roods each, originally granted to Henry Berry	Alexander Grant Walker	Barwin River ..	August 11.
No. 1177, TOWN OF TENTERFIELD—2 roods, lot 10 of section 57, as originally granted to Diotrich Moscmann	William Frost	Tenterfield	October 9.
No 1335, PARISH OF SOUTH WAGGA WAGGA—40 acres, portion 79, as originally granted to Charles Thompson	Thomas Byrnes	Wagga Wagga ..	October 9.
No. 1372, TOWN OF GUNDAGAI—3 roods 32 perches, lots 14 and 15 of section 16, as originally granted to James Lyons	Patrick Quinlan	Gundagai	October 9.

Diagrams delineating these Lands may be inspected at the Registrar-General's Office, in Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated this 26th day of July, 1866, at the Registrar-General's Office, Sydney.
THOO. JAS. JAQUES, Registrar-General.

Department of Public Works,
Sydney, 3rd August, 1866.

TENDERS for PUBLIC WORKS and SUPPLIES.—Tenders are invited for the following Public Works and Supplies. For full particulars see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, a file of which is kept at every Police Office in the colony.

No tender will be taken into consideration unless the terms of the notice be strictly complied with.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Nature of Works and Supplies.	Date to which Tenders can be received at this Office.
Kitchen, &c, Telegraph Station, Bathurst Alterations and additions Court-house, East Maitland Foundations for Coal Staiths, at Newcastle Water Closet, &c., Court-house, Bathurst	12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, 7th August.
New Steam Dredge Passenger Railway Station and Platform, at Mittagong	12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, 21st August.

JAMES BYRNES.

General Post Office,
Sydney, 3rd August, 1866.

TENDERS for the CONVEYANCE of the undermentioned MAILS are invited. For full particulars, see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, a file of which is kept at every post-office in the colony.

No tender will be considered unless the terms of the GAZETTE notice be strictly complied with.

Conveyance of Mails to and from	Date to which Tenders can be received at this Office.
Yass and Gundaroo, via Mundoonan and the Yass River route, once or twice a week.	Monday, the 20th August, up to 11 o'clock a.m.

J. DOCKER.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
3rd August, 1866.

THE FOLLOWING Printed Public Documents can be obtained from the Government Printing Office, on payment of the rates set opposite each:

GEOFFREY EAGAR.

1st MONTHLY LIST—SESSION 1866.

BILLS.	Price per copy. s. d.
Accomplices' Evidence—Mr. Buchanan (45)	0 3
Advances to Agents—Mr. A. Campbell (c 2)	0 6
Customs Validation—Mr. Eagar (50)	0 3
Destitute Children—Mr. Martin (41)	0 6
Partnership Amendment—Mr. A. Campbell (c 3)	0 3
Reformatory Schools—Mr. Martin (55)	0 3
Safe Keeping of Petroleum—Mr. Driver (43)	0 3
Sydney Burial-grounds—Mr. Wilson (57)	0 3
Verdicts' Amendment—Mr. Buchanan (44)	0 3
DESPATCH.	
Troops for Defence of the Colony (25)	0 3
REPORTS.	
Australian Museum (20)	1 2
Church of England Cemetery at Newtown—Report on (26)	0 3
Denominational School Board—Report for 1865 (5)	1 9
National Education—Report for 1865 (6)	1 6
Scab in Sheep—Report from Chief Inspector (* 32)	0 6
Sydney Grammar School—Report for 1865 (15)	0 3
Sydney University—Report for 1865 (18)	0 9
Vaccination—Report for 1865 (19)	0 3
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Abstracts of Public Accounts, 1865 (10)	2 1
Annual Ordnance Returns (17)	0 3
Weekly Abstract of Petitions, No. 1 (65)	0 3

The above rates do not include postage.

N.B.—Twenty-five per cent. discount allowed to the trade.

Payment, in all cases, to be made in advance.

Office of Superintendent of
Pilots, Lights, and Harbours,
Sydney, 10th July, 1866.

THE following alterations and additions have been made in the signals at Fort Phillip, for giving publicity to the arrival of the mail.

1. On the arrival of the Suez Mail at Adelaide, instead of being notified by the Company's flag only, it will be notified by a ball and the flag,—the ball being hoisted above the flag, on the semaphore mast-head.

, On the arrival of the Mail at Melbourne, it will be notified as heretofore, by hoisting the Company's flag above a ball, on the semaphore mast-head.

2. On the arrival of the mail at Sydney (by Suez or Panama), it will be notified by the ordinary descriptive flag and numerical pendants having a ball between them, the Company's flag being hoisted at the same time on the semaphore mast-head.

FRANCIS HIXSON, Superintendent.

ALLIANCE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LONDON
Capital, £5,000,000.
RATES OF PREMIUM.
First-class.—Stone and brick dwellings, from 3s. to 6s. 6d. per cent.
Second-class.—Stone and brick stores, from 4s. 6d. to 10s. per cent.
An advance of 15 per cent. on above rates for retail trades.
Country risks 25 per cent. advance on above rates of premium.
DANIELL, KING, and CO., agents, 10, O'Connell-street.

THE NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.
Established in 1821.
Paid up Capital £550,000.
ANNUAL INSURANCES exceed SEVENTY-FIVE MILLIONS.
ANNUAL DUTY paid to GOVERNMENT exceeds EIGHTY THOUSAND POUNDS.
, All claims promptly settled in Sydney.
Forms of proposal and rates on application at the SYDNEY BRANCH OFFICE, 311, George-street.
ROBERT SEMPILL, Agent.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—Capital, £1,600,000. Income, £230,000.
Reserve fund, £240,000.
Insurances effected on buildings, merchandise, and ships. Losses from fire by lightning made good, and all claims on adjustment paid in Sydney.
FANNING, GRIFFITHS, and CO., agents, Spring-street, Sydney.

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY,
for
FIRE, LIFE, and ANNUITIES,
Wynyard-square,
Sydney.

LONDON AND LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANIES.
Chief Offices—Leadenhall-street, London.
CAPITALS:
Fire, £1,000,000. | Life, £100,000.
NEW SOUTH WALES BRANCH.
LOCAL BOARD.
The Hon. A. M'Arthur | George Wigram Allen, Esq.
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MEDICAL OFFICER. | A. H. C. Macafee, Esq.
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FIRE COMPANY.
Insurances on buildings, merchandise, furniture, ships.
Policies for more than one year subject to terms.
Fires caused by Lightning and Explosion of Gas paid for.
CLAIMS settled in COLONY immediately on adjustment.
LIFE COMPANY.
This Company offers benefits of the MUTUAL SYSTEM, with the security of a PROPRIETARY COMPANY.
Policies unchallengeable except in cases of palpable fraud.
Policy claims payable ONE MONTH after proof of death.
Premiums payable yearly, half-yearly, or quarterly.
Half of the premiums for whole term policies can remain on credit for FIVE years, at FIVE per cent. interest.
Rates and all information on application to
W. H. MACKENZIE, Jun.,
Agent for New South Wales.
Sydney Offices—New Pitt-street.

PACIFIC FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SYDNEY.
Capital, £500,000.
DIRECTORS:
J. L. Montefiore, Esq., Chairman.
John Watkins, Esq. | A. B. Smith, Esq.
Henry Prince, Esq. | J. R. Young, Esq.
London Agents, Messrs. Young, Lark, and Bennett, 29, Gresham-street.
Transactions can be effected with this company in the various branches of FIRE and MARINE INSURANCE at the lowest current rates of premium.
Marine losses may be made payable in London, required.
C. M. SMITH, Manager.

ROYAL FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF LIVERPOOL AND LONDON.
CAPITAL, £2,000,000.
FIRE DEPARTMENT.
The undersigned are fully empowered to settle all claims in the colony, and insurers may rely on the liberal and prompt payment of losses. The rates of premium are those adopted by all insurance companies in the colony.
LIFE DEPARTMENT.
Polices are issued, and claims settled, by the undersigned in the colony, without reference to England.
MEDICAL REFEREE—Dr. O'BRIEN, M.D.
Prospectuses, tables of rates, &c., with the fullest information, will be furnished on application to
LAIDLEY, IRELAND, and CO., Lloyd's Chambers.

SYDNEY INSURANCE COMPANY
For FIRE and MARINE INSURANCE.
Incorporated by Act of Council, 18 Vict., 1855.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £250,000;
PAID UP, £50,000;
With unlimited liability of shareholders.
DIRECTORS.
M. E. Murnin, Esq., Chairman.
T. C. Breillat, Esq., Deputy-chairman.
J. F. Josephson, Esq., M.L.A.
James R. Fairfax, Esq.
William Wolfen, Esq.
John Browster, Esq.
SURVEYOR:
James Hume, Esq.
MARINE SURVEYOR:
Captain James Malcolm.
SECRETARY:
Mr. Alexander Thomson.
This company, which has been established for ten years, is a strictly colonial institution, and has a large and wealthy proprietary. Policies for both FIRE and MARINE INSURANCE are issued at the current rates of premium adopted by the various offices in the colony. Forms of proposal and tables of rates, will all necessary information, will be furnished on application to the secretary, Mr. Alexander Thomson, at the offices, at the corner of Hunter and Pitt streets, Sydney, and at the various Agencies established in every considerable township in the colonies of New South Wales and Queensland.
By order of the Board,
ALEXANDER THOMSON, Secretary.

SYDNEY MARINE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
(Unlimited Liability.)
Capital, £100,000.
DIRECTORS.
Richard Jones, Esq., Chairman.
William Glen Walker, Esq.
Henry Mort, Esq.
AGENTS.
London—Messrs. R. and F. Tooth and Mort, 155, Fenchurch-street.
Brisbane—Messrs. J. and G. Harris.
Newcastle—Captain Charles Robertson.
MARINE SURVEYOR—Captain James Malcolm.
N.B.—Time risks on ships, with particular average taken, subject to special arrangement.
Policies on merchandise to Europe granted in triplicate, payable in London in case of loss, if required.
A Table of the Rates of Premium can be obtained at the Company's Office, Lyons-buildings, George-street.
SAMUEL H. SMYTH, Manager.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
Established 1825.
With which is now united the
COLONIAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
COLONIAL AND FOREIGN ASSURANCES.
An amalgamation having been formed between the Standard Life Assurance Company and the Colonial Life Assurance Company, the business of the united companies will henceforth be conducted under the title of the
STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
The annual revenue of the Standard Company is now upwards of
SIX HUNDRED and FIFTY THOUSAND POUNDS,
and the accumulated Funds amount to upwards of
THREE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING.
The new business transacted during the past year amounted to the large sum of £1,375,000 sterling, the corresponding premiums amounting to £45,337 per annum.
LOCAL BOARDS AND AGENCIES in all the British Colonies, where every facility will be afforded in the transaction of business, and where premiums may be received and claims paid.
PROFITS divided every five years.
The new Colonial and Foreign Prospectus may be had on application at the Chief Offices of the Company, or to the Agents at home or abroad.
WILLIAM THOMAS THOMSON,
Manager and Actuary.
D. CLUNIE GREGOR,
Colonial and Foreign Secretary.
Sydney Office—325, George-street.
DIRECTORS:
Richard Jones, Esq., Chairman.
F. H. Dangar, Esq. | J. Binny, Esq.
Thomas Skinner, Esq.
MEDICAL REFEREE: Dr. J. C. Cox.
WILLIAM RAE, Agent and Secretary.

THE COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY, 19, Cornhill, London, E.C.
MARINE BRANCH:—6, Royal Exchange Avenue.
CAPITAL, £2,500,000.
The undersigned have been appointed the Sydney agents to the above Company, and are empowered to issue policies of Assurance against Fire, and to settle all claims for losses that may arise therefrom. Forms of proposals, prospectuses, and all information can be obtained free on application.
E. and W. PAUL, 89, York-street.

TRUST AND AGENCY COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA (Limited).
Capital, £500,000.
Advances made on pastoral securities, freehold estates, &c.
Solicitors: Messrs. Parton and Hellins.
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Melbourne, Managing Agents for Victoria, New South Wales, and Queensland.

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited),
Chief Offices, 35, Cornhill, London.
Subscribed capital, £1,000,000.
Paid up ditto..... £250,000.
The undersigned is authorised to issue Policies, the claims on which can be made payable in London, India, China, Cape of Good Hope, or the Colonies. RATES on application to
W. H. MACKENZIE, Jun., Agent.
Sydney Office, New Pitt-street.

VICTORIA FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
(Established 1849. Capital, £200,000.)
Also,
VICTORIA LIFE AND GENERAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
(Capital, £2,000,000.)
With unlimited liability of Shareholders.
SYDNEY BRANCH—Pitt-street, opposite the EMPIRE Office.
WILLIAM JACK, Resident Secretary.

THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).
Capital, £1,000,000.
LORIMER, MARWOOD and ROME, Agents.

NORTHERN FIRE and LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
SYDNEY BRANCH, 62, MARGARET-STREET.
Current FIRE rates, and lowest LIFE rates in Australia.
Claims promptly settled in Sydney and at the agencies.
ROBERT HENDERSON, Agent.

G. S. AND W. RAILWAYS.—PITT-STREET TRAMWAY TIME TABLE.—On and after THIS DAY, October 1st, Cars will leave Redfern Station and the Circular Quay as under, stopping at all streets crossing Pitt-street, except from Goulburn-street to the Station.

Fares ..... 3d.

Leave Circular Quay.		Leave Redfern Station.	
No. 1	at * 6.25 a.m.	No. 1	at 5.50 a.m.
2	* 8.25	2	8.0
3	9.5	3	8.45
4	* 9.50	4	9.25
5	* 11.35	5	9.35
6	1.0 p.m.	6	11.15
7	* 1.35	7	12.5
8	2.15	8	1.15 p.m.
9	3.10	9	2.0
10	* 4.5	10	2.50
11	* 4.35	11	3.47
12	* 5.5	12	4.00
13	5.50	13	5.25
14	* 6.5	14	6.20
15	6.50	15	6.39
16	* 7.10		

The Car which leaves Redfern at 9.35 a.m. will be in time for the Manly Beach and Watson's Bay steamers. Cars will also be in attendance at the Circular Quay on the arrival of the steamers at 6 p.m. in time for the 6.30 o'clock train.

No. 9, on Saturday, p.m., leaves Redfern at 2.35.

P.S.—Intending passengers are requested to be at the Stopping Stations punctually to time.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Circular Quay,		Leave Redfern Station,	
No. 1, at	* 8.35 a.m.	No. 1, at	* 8.15 a.m.
No. 2, at	10.45	No. 2, at	*10.30
No. 3, at	* 1.45 p.m.	No. 3, at	* 1.25 p.m.

And leave Redfern Station at 2.5 p.m., in time for Manly Beach and Watson's Bay steamers, and every alternate half-hour until 8 p.m.

Those marked * run in connection with the trains.

Fares after 8 o'clock, 6d. each.

JOHN WOODS.

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the next ensuing session, for leave to introduce a bill to enable the members of the United Church of England and Ireland in New South Wales, to manage the property of the said Church, and which bill is in the words following:—

Whereas the members of the United Church of England and Ireland, within the colony of New South Wales, at a General Conference of the Bishops and Clerical and Lay Representatives of the existing dioceses of the said Church, convened and held in the City of Sydney, in the month of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, agreed to, and accepted certain articles and provisions as Constitutions for the management and good government of the said Church.

And whereas such agreement cannot as regards the management of the property of the said Church be carried into effect without the aid of the Legislature, in manner hereinafter provided.

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. The several articles and provisions contained in the said constitutions, and any rules and ordinances to be made under or by virtue or in pursuance thereof, are and shall, for all purposes connected with or in any way relating to the property of the said United Church of England and Ireland within the colony of New South Wales, be the rules of the said Church for the management of the affairs thereof, and for all such purposes be binding upon the members of the said Church. And all persons now, or any time hereafter, holding any real or personal estate in trust for or in any way on behalf or for the use of the said Church, except in so far as such real or personal estate may be the subject of any express trust, and then so far as such express trust shall not extend, shall hold the said real and personal state, subject to the said rules, and shall be bound thereby as fully in all respects as if the said rules were contained in a deed of conveyance and trust of the said real and personal estate.

2. Provided always that no rule or ordinance to be made under or by virtue, or in pursuance of the said constitutions shall be in contravention of any law or statute in force for the time being in this colony.

3. Provided also that within three months after the passing hereof, a copy of the said constitutions so agreed to and accepted, as hereinbefore mentioned, shall be recorded in the Supreme Court, and the same, or a duly certified copy thereof, shall be evidence of the said constitutions.

Dated this 13th day of July, A.D. 1866.

NORTON and BARKER, Solicitors for the promoters.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by a certain Indenture of Assignment, bearing date the Thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and made between PETER MALCOM, of Towrang, in the colony of New South Wales, storekeeper, and JESSE JACOBS, of Picton, in the colony aforesaid, storekeeper, lately carrying on business at Barber's Creek, near Goulburn, in the colony aforesaid, under the style or firm of "Malcom and Jacobs," of the first part; JOHN HURST, of Bathurst-street, Sydney, in the colony aforesaid, one of the firm of John Hurst and Company, merchants, and WILLIAM DRYNAN, of Wynyard-square, Sydney aforesaid, one of the firm of William Drynan and Company, merchants, of the second part; and the several persons creditors of the said Peter Malcom and Jesse Jacobs of the third part; for the considerations therein mentioned the said Peter Malcom and Jesse Jacobs did convey, assign, and assure unto the said Trustees, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, all the estate and effects of them the said Peter Malcom and Jesse Jacobs, whatsoever and wheresoever, for the benefit of their creditors as therein mentioned: And, further, that the said indenture was duly executed by the said Peter Malcom and Jesse Jacobs and said trustees, and duly attested, according to the provisions of the Act of the Governor and Council of New South Wales, made and provided in that behalf: And, further, that the said indenture is now lying at the office of George Evans, solicitor, 106, King-street, Sydney, for inspection and execution.

Dated this Thirty-first day of July, in the year of our Lord 1866.

P. MALCOM
J. JACOBS
JOHN HURST
WILLIAM DRYNAN.

Witnes—JOHN BIRRELL, J.P.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the will and goods of DONALD M'KAY, late of Wallendibby, in the colony of New South Wales, grazier, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given, that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof in the New South Wales GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, application will be made to this honourable Court, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, that administration, with the will annexed, of all and singular the goods, chattels, credits, and effects (now unadministered) of the above named deceased may be granted to WILLIAM M'KAY, of Wallendibby, aforesaid, one of the legatees mentioned in the will of the deceased.
Dated this nineteenth day of July, A.D., 1866.
RICHARD YEOMANS,
Proctor for the said William M'Kay, 101, King-street, Sydney.

BURT AND CO.,
HORSE AND CATTLE SALESMEN,
STOCK AND STATION AGENTS,
General Auctioneers.
Established 1847.
REGULAR SALES OF HORSES, SHEEP, LIVE STOCK, AND PRODUCE,
at the BAZAAR, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock.
FAT CATTLE,
AT THE CATTLE YARDS,
Annandale and Petersham,
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and THURSDAY, at 2 p.m.
Good secured paddocks. An experienced drover will be sent to meet live stock on receipt of advices.

S. C. BURT and CO., Horse and Carriage Bazaar, 272 Pitt-street, and 134, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, Horse and Cattle Salesmen, Commission and General Agents.
Sales by auction every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 11 o'clock.

TO GRAZIERS and OTHERS.—G. M. PITT, Stock and Station Agent, and Cattle Salesman, Post Office Chambers, opposite the Commercial Bank, George-street.
Sales of sheep and cattle at Fullagar's, and at the New Smithfield Yards, Annandale, near Sydney. I have also made arrangements to sell sheep in small lots in the city.
Cash advanced on stations and stock sent for immediate sale.

GENTLEMEN leaving the colony, importers, and manufacturers of furniture, merchants, and others, are respectfully informed the spacious rooms of the undersigned afford unrivalled accommodation for the advantageous display of household furniture, pianofortes, glass, china, carriages, silver plate, oil paintings, books, works of art, and general merchandise.
Cash advanced on goods intended for sale.
Account sales promptly rendered.
Valuations accurately made.
Catalogues prepared free of charge.
BRADLEY and NEWTON, general auctioneers and valuers.
Old Bank of Australasia, 239, George-street.

WOOL, SHEEPSKINS, TALLOW, HIDES, &c.—IRWIN and TURNER late Durham and Irwin).
The undersigned continue to receive Wool, Sheepskins, Tallow, Hides, &c., for sale or shipment, and will make liberal advances thereon.
Circular Quay, 7th June. IRWIN and TURNER.

WE beg to inform our friends and the public that we have arranged to combine with our Stock and Station Agency the business of STOCK AND SHARE BROKERS, and further solicit their patronage and support.
FATTORINI and CO.
165, Pitt-street, nearly opposite Vickery's new buildings.
N.B.—☞ Purchasers of shares, &c., through us will receive their transfers FREE of stamp duty.

VICTORIA SALE YARDS, PETERSHAM.
HARRISON and JONES, Auctioneers, &c., having leased the above Yards from Edward Flood, Esq., are now prepared to receive fat cattle and sheep for sale.
Stock forwarded direct to them for sale will not be charged any yard fees, but will have the use of commodious paddocks provided for that purpose.
ACCOUNT SALES rendered and proceeds paid within THREE DAYS after each sale, such CASH PAYMENTS guaranteed by the undermentioned gentlemen.
HARRISON and JONES,
Auctioneers, Stock and Station Agents,
73, King-street, Sydney.
Referring to the above we hold ourselves responsible that this arrangement will be carried out.
EDWARD FLOOD,
RICHARD JONES.
Sydney, 9th July, 1866.

AUSTRALIAN BOND and FREE STORES,
Elizabeth-street North,
Near the Circular Quay.
A change having occurred in the proprietorship of these Stores, the undersigned, present proprietors, solicit the patronage and support of their importing friends and the public.
The Stores are the most central for business, being within a few paces of the Custom-house, secure and dry, and adapted for every description of goods. The lowest prevailing rates only charged, and the utmost promptitude and dispatch used in the issue of certificates and delivery of goods.
Mr. LAURENCE CARROLL, the manager, will render every information that may be required, on application to him at the Stores. JOHN FRAZER and CO.
S. A. JOSEPH.

JOSEPH WEARNE,
AUSTRALIAN Flour-mills, PARRAMATTA, and CHIPPENDALE Mills, corner of Abercrombie and Cleveland streets, SYDNEY.—Superfine silk-dressed Flour; fine and seconds Flour; Wheat Meal, Pollard, Bran, and CORN FLOUR, of the best quality, and at the lowest current rates.
Orders by post promptly attended to.

ROBERTSON'S COACH FACTORY.—Established 1844.
JOHN ROBERTSON, Coachbuilder, 483, 487, and 489, Pitt-street South, in thanking his numerous patrons for their kind support since he commenced business, begs to inform them and the public generally, that his premises though now the largest in the colony are not sufficient to meet the requirements of his business, so he is again compelled to take other premises in to enlarge his present factory, which will clearly show that through the heavy outlay he has made in getting the requisite machinery, &c., for the manufacture of all vehicles, he is able to furnish them at a price which defies fair competition; and he wishes all persons desirous of purchasing anything in the trade to call and visit his establishment, where they will find the largest stock, together with the most appliances for the manufacture of vehicles of every description.

THE UNDERSIGNED, has, This Day, commenced business as Accountant, Arbitrator, Average Adjuster, Rent and Debt Collector, and General Agent. He will also undertake the winding-up of Estates in difficulties. He has an efficient staff, and his long experience in the city will, he thinks, be sufficient guarantee of his ability to carry out successfully any business that may be entrusted to him.
H. MOON.
Duguid's Wharf, Miller's Point, 1st August, 1866.

A. LANCASTER, Gun and Rifle Manufacturer, 27, South Audley-street, Grosvenor-square, London (the late native partner of Charles Lancaster).
The improved five-grooved, small-bore Volunteer Match Rifle, fine windage fore-sight, accurately adjusted back-sight, bullet mould, patent grease box, cleaning rod, &c. Packed in tin and deal ready for shipment, £18. Orders, with remittance, receive prompt attention.

TO GROCERS, WHOLESALE DEALERS, and others.—The undersigned having been appointed Sole Agents in Sydney for Messrs. CROSSE and BLACKWELL, are prepared to receive orders for all descriptions of Oilmen's Stores comprised in their printed lists, which will be forwarded and executed with care and punctuality, and got up in the style and of the quality which have commanded for the goods of Crosse and Blackwell such universal approval and esteem.
R. TOWNS and CO.

GUILFOYLE AND SON,
EXOTIC NURSERY, DOUBLE BAY,
beg to remind those desirous of procuring large or small quantities of
ORNAMENTAL TREES, FLOWERING SHRUBS, BULBS, CLIMBERS, FRUIT TREES, &c.,
that their collection is the most varied and extensive, and with regard to prices the cheapest, in the Australian colonies.
The recently introduced hardy dwarf beautiful Flowering Shrubs are now ready; also, twenty-five new hybrid CAMELLIAS, which, for the perfection of their flowers as well as the compact habit of the plants, may be considered superior to the very best of the imported varieties. Prices extremely moderate.
Native and other seeds always on hand.

TURKISH BATH,
BLIGH-STREET.
Open Daily for Ladies and Gentlemen.
"A very important addition has been made to our means of preventing and treating disease by the revival of the Roman or Turkish Bath." "This you should be acquainted with, or you will find your patients know more about it than you do yourselves, and nothing can be conceived more damaging to your prospects of professional success."—T. Spencer Wells Lecture to the Grosvenor-place School of Medicine.—MEDICAL TIMES AND GAZETTE.
"But the Bath is of still greater importance to the healthy than the sick; for to be kept well is better than to be cured, and a harmless, luxurious, invigorating, and life-prolonging recreation, is better than all medicine." "The bath is to the individual man, comprising his liver, kidneys, and skin, what the sun is to the world and its inhabitants."—Dr. ERASMUS WILSON.
"I am more and more, every day persuaded, by my experience of the great value of the Turkish Bath. I have been boiled, or rather roasted, again into youth."—Sir JOHN FIFE, M.D., introducer of the bath into the Newcastle Infirmary.
"In Cyprus, where there is a mixed Mahometan and Christian population, the Mahometans, who use the Turkish bath, are almost free from consumption; while the Christians, who do not use it, fall frequent victims to the disease."—Dr. BARTER.
"Gout and rheumatism are hardly known among the bathing population of Turkey."—URQUHART.
"The Turkish bath is looked upon so much in the light of a panacea, that the lower orders never dream of consulting a physician when taken ill."—Dr. MILLIGEN, Physician to the Sultan.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.—The Right Hon. Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians and J. T. Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in cholera was Chlorodyne.—See LANCET, December 31, 1864.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.—Extract from MEDICAL TIMES, January 12, 1866, "Is prescribed by scores of orthodox medical practitioners. Of course it would not be thus singularly popular did it not 'supply a want and fill a place.'"

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE is the best and most certain remedy in coughs, colds, asthma, consumption, neuralgia, rheumatism, &c.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE is a certain cure in cholera, dysentery, diarrhœa, colics, &c.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.—CAUTION.—None genuine without the words "Dr. J. Collis Browne's Chlorodyne" on the Government stamp. Overwhelming medical testimony accompanies each bottle. Sole manufacturer, J. T. DAVENPORT, 33, Great Russell-street, Bloomsbury, London. Wholesale Agents, Sydney—Messrs. M. A. WORMS and CO.; Melbourne—Messrs. JOSEPH TAYLOR, Collins-street West.

JENKINS'S celebrated TONIC WATER. Orders addressed to the undersigned will meet with immediate attention. J. HAMILTON (late W. J. Jenkins). Manufactory, 131, Botany Road, Chippendale.

EPPS'S HOMŒOPATHIC COCOA.—Homœopathic Practitioners, and the medical profession generally, recommend COCOA as being the most healthful of all beverages. When the doctrine of homœopathy was first introduced into England, there were to be obtained no preparations of cocoa either attractive to the taste or acceptable to the stomach; the nut was either supplied in the crude state, or so unskilfully manufactured as to obtain little notice. J. EPPS, of London, homœopathic chemist, was induced, in the year 1839, to turn his attention to this subject, and at length succeeded, with the assistance of elaborate machinery, in being the first to introduce an article pure in its composition, and so refined by the perfect trituration it receives in the process it passes through, as to be most acceptable to the delicate stomach.
BREAKFAST BEVERAGE.
For general use, EPPS'S COCOA is distinguished as invigorating, with a grateful smoothness and delicious aroma. Dr. Hassall, in his work "Food, and its Adulterations," says:—"Cocoa contains a great variety of important nutritive principles—every ingredient necessary to the growth and sustenance of the body." Again, "As a nutritive, Cocoa stands very much higher than either Coffee or Tea." Directions:—Two teaspoonfuls of the powder in a breakfast cup, filled up with boiling water or milk. Tin lined, ¼-lb., ½-lb., and 1-lb. Packets. Sold by Grocers, Confectioners, and Chemists. Each Packet is labelled J. Epps, Homœopathic Chemist, 112, Great Russell-street, 170, Piccadilly, and 48, Threadneedle-street; Manufactory, 398, Euston Road, London.

TEETH, TEETH, TEETH.—New Discovery.—Toothache cured in one moment by Mr. GEORGE, Surgeon-Dentist, 27, Hunter-street, Sydney. Artificial teeth supplied, from a single tooth to a full set. Charges moderate. Teeth extracted without pain. Decayed teeth filled, which will last many years. Advice gratis.

TOOTHACHE CURED in an instant with GEORGE'S Odontalgic Essence. 2s 6d per bottle. 27, Hunter-st.

A GOOD FAMILY MEDICINE CHEST, with a prudent use, has saved many a life; and yet we think the idea might be improved upon and reduced to a more simple form. Take some good compound, such as COCKLE'S ANTIBILIOUS PILLS, and we find that the desired end may be obtained without scales and weights, or little mysterious compartments and enchanted bottles with crystal stoppers. Others might be used, but COCKLE'S PILLS, as tested by many thousands of persons and found to answer their purpose so well, may be set down as the best.—OBSERVER.

COCKLE'S ANTIBILIOUS PILLS.—SYDNEY.
Messrs. ROW, 249, Pitt-street;
Mr J. S. NORRIE, 56, William-street.

COUGHS, ASTHMA, and INCIPIENT CONSUMPTION, are effectually cured by KEATING'S COUGH LOZENGES, which are daily recommended by the faculty—testimonials from the most eminent of whom may be inspected—as the most effectual, safe, speedy, and convenient remedy for cough and all disorders of the lungs, chest, and throat.
Sold in boxes and tins, of various sizes, by T. KEATING, Chemist, 79, St. Paul's Churchyard, London. Sold retail by all Druggists, &c.

DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA is the great remedy for acidity of stomach, headache, heartburn, indigestion, sour eructations, and bilious affections. It is the physician's cure for

TO GENTLEMEN.—DAVID JONES and COMPANY, having opened the undermentioned importations for their Mercery and Outfitting Department, particularly desire that gentlemen should favour them by an early inspection. They would mention that these selections were made just in the most favourable time, when the fashions were introduced for the spring.

NEW TIES, in black and choicest colours.	NEW SCARFS, in black and choicest colours.
The Leopold	The Fortescue
Sansparell	Alhambra
Lilliputian	Sam
Improved Tom Thumb	The Best
West End	Yacht
Our Prince	Improved Bond-street

Every new shape in Shirt Collars, suitable for the above ties and scarfs, manufactured from the celebrated golden flax linen.

Also, the linen finished Perfect Collar, 1s. per dozen (which can be worn with tie or scarfs without crease).

Wristbands, Gauntlets, reversible and French Cuffs.

A shipment of the Patent Aerated Hats, designed by Dr. M'Leod, and much approved by gentlemen in Australia and India.

Christy's black Paris nap Hats

Townsend's and Christy's drab shell Hats (with grease proof bands).

These hats are specially distinguished for their lightness and elasticity, combined with perfect ventilation, rendering them peculiarly suitable for warm climates.

A large assortment of stiff and soft felt Hats, tweed and cloth Hats, &c., including the supplementary shapes to May

Novelties in braces, supersiders on new principles, including the "Guyot," "Proteau," "Novus aptus," and Lever, with improved finishes

BELTS in every width, style, and price.

GENTLEMEN'S, BOYS', AND YOUTHS' SHIRTS.

In this important garment D. J. and Co. have imported the most perfect fitting shapes. They can now fit every figure.

The Eureka improved, the Premier, and the Indusian, with wide, medium, narrow, and manifold plaits, for ordinary and evening wear.

Choice patterns in fancy regatta shirts

Silk crimean and fancy angola shirts, from 14 to 19 inch neck

Gentlemen's hosiery (specially to order from the first manufacturers in the world in the following classes)—

Scotch	Leicester and
Shetland	German

Also the celebrated Anglo-India hosiery, now universally adopted by the gentry at home

Gentlemen's French kid gloves in finest qualities (light, dark, lavender, black, white, &c.)

Patent driving gloves in real buck, tan and calf

Portmanteaus, umbrellas.

Air beds, life belts, gas bags

And numerous etceterras, required for gentlemen's use, to which attention is specially invited.

345 and 347, George-street, and 1, Barrack-street.

CLOSE OF THE SEASON.

IMPORTANT TO THE PUBLIC.
GREAT REDUCTIONS
in
SHAWLS AND MANTLES.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Our 10 Guinea VELVET MANTLE, reduced to 6 Guineas

Our 8 Guinea ditto, reduced to 4½ Guineas

Our rich PROMENADE JACKETS 35s, reduced from 3 Guineas

Come and see our WALKING JACKETS, reduced to 7s 11d, 8s 11d, 10s 6d, and 12s 9d

Rich PAISLEY SHAWLS, 2½ Guineas, reduced from 4 Guineas

A choice collection of upwards of 500 WOOL SHAWLS, reduced to 7s 9d, 8s 11d, 10s 6d, and 12s 9d.

MILLINERY.

Elegantly trimmed BONNETS, 10s, 6d, 12s 6d, 15s 6d

Ladies' and children's straw hats, in endless variety, 1s 11d, 2s 6d, 2s 11d, and 3s 6d.

DRESSES, DRESSES, DRESSES.

LADIES BUYING DRESSES would do well to pay a visit to 86, King-street, and judge for themselves.

2000 FANCY DRESSES, of VARIOUS FABRICS, all at 8s 11d, 12 yards, reduced from 15s 6d.

Stout Knickerbocker Winseys, 6½d, reduced from 1s.

BAULKE and ARDERN, 86, King-street.

SPECIAL AND IMPORTANT NOTICE.

BENEDICT HOUSE,
111 and 113, Parramatta-street.
ALTERATIONS COMPLETED.
Premises will be opened
THIS DAY, Saturday, the 4th instant,
with a new and select stock of
DRAPERY GOODS,
BOYS', YOUTHS', AND MEN'S CLOTHING.

MURRAY and SWANSON,

having made considerations and improvements to the above premises, they have much pleasure in calling the special attention of their customers and the public of Sydney and surrounding districts to the large and varied stock of goods now being unpacked, and ready for sale THIS DAY, the 4th instant. M. and S. purchase the whole of their goods for ready cash, and are determined to sell cheap, adopting as their motto, "Small profits and quick returns."

The following is an abridged list of the stock, &c.:—

Dress materials, in all the leading fabrics and novelties for the season, from 8d to 2s per yard

Shawls, manties, house and walking jackets, in great variety

Ladies' corsets, patent fastening and to lace, 2s 11d and upwards

Ladies' best Josephine kid gloves, in all the new shades, 3s 6d per pair

New prints, warranted fast colours

Ladies' crinolines, from 3s 6d to 15s

Children's ditto, 1s to 3s 6d

Rich black glace silks, 2s 6d, 3s, 3s 6d, 4s, 4s 6d, 5s, 6s

Ladies' belts, buckles, belt ribbons, handkerchiefs, hair nets

Collars and cuffs, flowers and feathers, in great profusion

Black and white straw hats

6000 yards genuine Horrockses' longcloths

Lot of Horrocksea' letter B, 9d per yard

Grey calicoes, yard wide, 8½d and 10½d

White calicoes, 6d, 7d, and 8d per yard

White and grey sheetings, 60, 72, 80, and 90 inches wide

Toilets, quilts, and counterpanes

Saxony and real Welsh flannels

Coloured and crimean flannels

Coloured damasks and victoria tablecovers

White and brown linen damasks

Victoria druggeting, mattings, and oilcloths

Men's mercery and clothing, comprising crimean shirts, merino shirts, and pants

Scarves, ties, braces, collars, and handkerchiefs

White shirts, linen fronts, collars and bands

Hats, gloves, belts, and socks

Tweed trousers, 8s 6d, 10s, up to 20s

Colonial ditto, 14s 6d

Fancy doeskin trousers, 10s to 15s

Black ditto ditto, 16s 6d, 18s 6d, 20s

Black cloth sacs, 16s 6d, 18s 6d, 20s, 25s, and 30s

Fancy tweed ditto, 12s 6d to 20s

Ditto doeskin ditto, 12s 6d to 20s

Fancy tweed, doeskin, and black cloth vests, in great variety

Boys' and youths' tweed suits, 12s 6d, 14s 6d, and 16s 6d

Boys' and youths' tweed and doe trousers, 6s 6d, 7s 6d, 8s 6d, 9s 6d, 10s 6d

Men's and boys' mole trousers, best brands

150 pairs men's mole trousers, 6s 6d per pair

Blue serge and Scotch twill shirts, 2s 6d, and upwards

N.B.—A quantity of winter goods, consisting of winseys, French merinos, plaids, wool shawls, skirtings, winsey skirts, knicker winseys, hosiery, and blankets, will be sold at greatly reduced prices.

French merinos, 1s 11½d, worth 2s 6d per yard

MURRAY and SWANSON, Benedict House, 111 and 113, Parramatta-street.

Sydney, 4th August.

JUST RECEIVED ex Tamerlane.—Ford's celebrated Eureka Shirts, opening in front and at back, made for collar stude, and with palmerston cuffs

Fashionable collars, upright and turn-down

Gentlemen's Nagasaki Umbrellas, with paragon frames, black, brown, and green twilled silk, plain and elegantly carved handles—certainly the best goods ever imported

Portmanteaus and enamelled leather bags, much under the usual price.

S. H. LEWIS, French Glove Depot, 10, Hunter-street.

CLEARING OUT WINTER GOODS,
at a
GREAT REDUCTION.
SKINNER'S AUSTRALIAN HOUSE,
404, George-street.

HORROCKS'S GENUINE LETTER A, 8¾d

Ditto ditto ditto B, 10½d

Ditto ditto ditto H, 11½d

Rich fancy silks, 69s, 14 yards, reduced from 90s

Lot of small check silks, 35s, reduced from 54s

French merinos, 1s 11½d, reduced from 2s 6d

Fancy tweeds, 6½d, ditto ditto 10½d

Flannels, heavy make, 1s, reduced from 1s 6d

Blankets, large size, 8s, reduced from 12s 6d

Counterpanes, ditto ditto, 6s 9d, reduced from 10s 9d

Ladies' silk vests, 3s 6d, reduced from 10s 6d

Ladies' French stays, 3s 11d, reduced from 8s 6d

Lawn handkerchiefs, 4d, reduced from 9d

FRENCH KID GLOVES, 1s, worth 2s 6d

Feathers, a large lot, all at 6d each

Flowers, all reduced to 1d per spray

Thread lace collars, 1s each, reduced from 5s

Crape collars, 6d each, reduced from 3s

Children's crinolines, 2s each, reduced from 6s 6d

Ladies' house jackets at half-price.

JOHN SKINNER,
404, George-street.

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER. E. J. SCRIVENER and CO. beg to call the attention of Gentlemen to their very superior assortment of Woollens, which they are now making to order, in the very best style, at the lowest possible price.

For workmanship, style, and quality they are not to be surpassed by any house in the trade.

E. J. SCRIVENER and CO., Wholesale and Retail Tailors and Outfitters, Central House, 368, George-street.

JOHN WETHERILL'S, 235, PITT-STREET.—

French merinoes, 1s 6½d, worth 2s 3d

Checked gambroons, 9½d, worth 1s 3d

Velvet hats, 3s 11d, straw hats from 1s

Ladies' linen and crochet collars, 1s 11d per dozen

Ribbons, 1d per yard, bonnet ditto, 2½d yard

3000 chemises and drawers, from 1s 11d each

Antimacassars, 1s, 1s 3d, 1s 6d; worth 2s, 2s 9d, 3s 6d

Toilet covers, 1s, 1s 3d, 1s 9d, worth 2s, 3s, 4s 6d

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Plain and striped, for dresses,
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respectfully invite the Trade, Country Storekeepers, and Dealers to visit their
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No. 542, George-street,
opposite the Cathedral,
which are now completed and divided into compartments, and the stock classified as under:—

Nos. 1 and 2 DEPARTMENTS—TOYS,
containing every description of toys, including the latest British and Foreign novelties, forming a variety unequalled in the colony. Cases for the country and shipment, well assorted, from £3 and upwards.

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China and glass ornaments, a large variety
Glass shades, wax flowers and fruits, vases
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Perfumery by the most celebrated makers in the world, consisting of:—

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Fancy soaps, violet powders; hair, nail, and tooth brushes; combs, razors, sponge, dressing cases, and every other requisite for country storekeepers, dealers, and hairdressers.

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Shoe brushes	Broom heads
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This department is one of the most important in our
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MYERS and SOLOMON direct attention to
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which is replete with every class of goods kept by general importers of fancy goods, comprising cutlery by the most celebrated makers, stationery (an immense assortment), patent medicines, meerschaum pipes, and tobacconists' goods, cricketing materials, gold, silver, and plated jewellery of all kinds, watches, foot balls, &c., &c., &c.

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CHEESE, sacks, sardines, bloaters, tapioca, Elemes (in tins, currants, oatmeal, Huntley and Palmer's biscuits, blacking, chicory, salad oil, salmon, saltpetre, mustard, light blue, starch, tartaric acid, cream tartar, chocolate, cocoa, castor oil, vinegar, pickles, split peas, pearl barley, soda crystals, shop twine, teas, sugars, patent groats, jams, figs, sago, arrowroot, macaroni, vermicelli, gingerbeer corks, preserved potatoes, Taylor's hams, genevа, sherry, bottled beers. EDWARD CHAPMAN and CO.

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ON SALE,
2, 3, 4, 6-light kerosene chandeliers
Sorby's tools, every description
Black and galvanized anchors up to 6 cwt.
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KANGAROO BRAND TOWN MARIE BEEF, cured by MORGAN'S PATENT PROCESS, at Ipswich, Queensland.

Mess, prime mess, India mess, India beef, extra India beef, on SALE. WILLIS, MERRY, and LLOYD.

NOW LANDING,
Register grates, 30 to 40 inch, in great variety
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Leamington kitcheners, 2 feet 6 inches to 4 feet
Sash weights, 4 lbs. to 36 lbs.
Sash cord, copper sash line
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ON SALE.—W. I. arrowroot, Colman's blue, starch, blacking, black lead, bath bricks, currants, corks, corrosive sublimate, corn flour, confectionery, fresh p. salmon, herrings, ling, Jamaica ginger, Colman's mustard, potted meats, Batty's pickles, pearl barley, 3-bushel bags, soda crystals, pearl sago, salad oils, wrapping paper, bags, vinegar, wax vestas, whitening, sheepwash, tobacco

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Jeffrey's No. 3 Edinburgh Ale
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Rum (Twiss and Browning's), 30 per cent.

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Byass's London bottled ale, at 8s per dozen
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Pints ditto ditto, 5s 6d per dozen.
At ISAAC SIMMONS'S, 305, George-street.
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Claret—case, all qualities; claret in bulk
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Champagnes, sparkling wines, all qualities
Curaçoa, maraschino, noyeau, anisette, and assorted liqueurs
Brandy colouring, eau de cologne
Pates, truffles, and game
Champignon's, truffles, in tins
Absinthe, "Pernod" and "Lepelletier"
Vermouth, Noilly, Prat, and Co.
Anchovies in oil, chocolate des Princes
Loaf sugar, assorted syrups, velvet wine corks
White beans, green peas, in 1-lb. tins
Salad oils, French mustard, macaroni, and vermicelli
Sardines, in ¼ boxes
Tomato sauce, preserved vegetables
Mineral water, French billiard table
Garden seats, French felt hats
French nails, bottling machines, capsules for bottling.

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Brandy—Martell's dark, Planat and Co.'s, Otard's, and United Vineyard Co.'s, in hogsheads and quarter-casks, pale and dark
Rum—Lownde's, Lemon Hart's, and Preston's
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Kent Hops—1865's.
Malt—Fine Pale Burton, to arrive.

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Three-bushel bags, 2¾ lbs.; seaming twine, woolbagging, Europe rope, canvas (Webster's, Bell's, Fergusson's, and D. Corser and Son's).
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For 20 tons or over ..	.. £13	0 per ton
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THE UNDERSIGNED have been appointed sole agents for the sale of Messrs. M. B. Foster and Sons' celebrated ALE and PORTER.

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New Pitt-street, Sydney, 20th April.

AUSTRALIAN WINE.—For SALE by the undersigned, and by Mr. RANDOLPH NOTT, 477, George-street, Sydney—
Verdelho (white), vintage 1863, in 1 and 2 dozen cases, quarts, £1 6s per dozen
Ditto, 2 and 4 dozen cases, pints, 13s 6d per dozen
Malbec (red), vintage 1863, in 1 and 2 dozen cases, quarts, £1 6s per dozen
Ditto, 2 and 4 dozen cases, pints, 13s 6d per dozen.

A. L. M'DOUGALL.

Baulkham Hills, August 1.

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MAIZE FLOUR, clean, sweet, and fresh ground, PEMELL'S Mills, Parramatta-street, Sydney.

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SUPERFINE Silk-dressed Adelaide FLOUR for SALE. JOHN CAMPBELL, Commercial Wharf.

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FOR SALE, by private contract, at Mr. COCKBURN'S, Auctioneer, Park-street,
Drawing-room suite, in walnut, covered in green tabaret
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Easy chair, walnut whatnot
Cabinet, occasional tables, in walnut
Horsehair sofas, horsehair chairs
Tubular iron bedsteads
Bookcases, chests of drawers
Chiffoniers, sideboards
Music stools, davenports
Large toilet glasses, marble washstands
Billiard-bagatelle table
Bronze fenders, hearthrugs
Dining-room suite, in rosewood
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Dinner services, towel horses
Ladies' and gentlemen's saddles.

TAUNTON'S SAFES.—F. LASSETTER and CO. are now landing ex Cornwallis a shipment of
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Sizes to suit banks, account books, deeds, jewellery and plate. Also, smaller ditto, imported expressly for storekeepers' use in conveying or storing gold.

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ON SALE, at the Stores of the undersigned—Paperhangings, a large and well selected stock
Pilcher's genuine white lead, in firkins
Blundell, Spence, and Co.'s boiled and raw oil, in hogsheads, barrels, and drums
Turpentine, colza, neatsfoot oil, in drums
Cocoanut oil, in bottles
Blundell, Spence, and Co.'s, and Robinson's white lead, in 14 lb., 28 lb., and 56 lb., 25s to 40s per cwt.
Greens, blue, red, black, yellow
Raw and burnt Turkey umber, raw and burnt sienna, patent driers in oils
Mander, Brothers, and Nobbs and Hoare's coach and house painters' varnish, from 14s to 30s per gallon
Varnish, for ladies' fancy leather work, 16s per gallon
Kent's superior coach and house painters' tools
Brushware, sable liners, writers' combs, tips, &c.
A great variety of grainers' tools, together with every article in brushware line in stock
Plate glass, all sizes, window glass
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Whiting, in 3 cwt. casks, £6 per ton
Dry colours, 20s per cwt.
Kerosene oil, best brands, lamps
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Tar, resin, pitch, cement, plaster paris, copperas, logwood, together with every article in the oil and colour trade.

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SUPERPHOSPHATE OF LIME.—The undersigned beg to inform Farmers, Market Gardeners, &c, that they are now manufacturing this invaluable manure. It is adapted for all soils and every description of vegetation. Price £10 per ton. Sample bags can be had.

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PHOSPHO-GUANO.—(Anglo-Australian Guano Company, Limited.)—This has now been thoroughly tested, and proved invaluable for wheat, hay, maize, potatoes, and all kinds of dairy produce. Supplied at the Sydney Depot, at £8 a ton, bags included, or sample bags may be had at 8s each. R. NOTT, 477, George-street.

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FOR SALE, cheap, large Russell's COOKING STOVE, two ovens, T. LUSTY, Ashfield.

SHEET LEAD and Lead Pipe, all weights and sizes. J. M'ILWRAITH and CO., 27, New Pitt-street.

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BRADFORD and CO. have received the following certificates of the quality of their Fire Bricks:—

"City Iron Works, Pyrmont,
"19th May, 1866.

"GENTLEMEN,—We have been using your fire bricks about twelve months, and find them to answer our purpose well, and can recommend them to any person requiring best fire bricks.

Yours obediently,
A. BROWN,
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"Messrs. Bradford and Co."

"Australian Gas Light Co.'s Office,
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GENTLEMEN,—During the last two years I have, at intervals, used your fire bricks; the result of the various trials was such as to induce me to erect furnaces of your bricks alone.

"In December of last year I commenced working them, and at the same time some constructed of English bricks. I do not yet know what the ultimate result will be; but I believe they will prove equal to any imported.

"Yours very obediently,
"JAMES BARLOW, Engineer.

"Messrs. Bradford and Co., Balmain."

FIRE BRICKS, Oven Tiles, Fire Tiles, &c. BRADFORD and CO., Balmain; Depot, 477, George-st.

FOR SALE, a large quantity of Gas Chimneys, cheap. Apply to J. Penson, 351, Pitt-street South.

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ALBION WHARF TIMBER YARD.—Hardwood of all sizes, foreign and colonial pine boards
Doors, sashes, shingles, sawn and split laths, posts, rails, and palings, supplied at the lowest possible prices.

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1000 PAIRS 10 x 8 SASHES, 8s per pair; 700 pairs 10 x 12, 11s per pair; 2000 doors

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City of Melbourne (s), for Brisbane.
Gaulon (s), for Grafton.

PROBABLE DEPARTURES.—August 4.

Statellite, for Calcutta; Lady Denison, for Westpoint; City of Brisbane (s), Blackbird (s), for Melbourne; Telegraph (s), for Brisbane; Dalhousie (s), for Rockhampton.

CLEARANCES.—August 3.

City of Melbourne (s), 915 tons, Captain Walker, for Brisbane. Passengers—200 emigrants ex Sudbury.

COASTERS INWARD.—August 3.

Sparkling Jewels, Clem, from Newcastle, with 314 tons coal; Bloomplate, from Wollongong, with 130 tons coal; Gipsy, from Twofold Bay; Isle of Thanet, from the Hollands River, with 150 logs cedar, 10 bales, 1 keg butter; Gleneagles (s), from the Hunter, with 252 tousses hay, 100 bags maize, 12 bags linseed seed, 12 cases drapery, 858 bales, 6 bales sheepskins, 5 cases shellers, 8 bales brush, 1 logwheel, 1 barrel, 24 bags potatoes, 3 cases eggs, 1 horse, 3 pigs, 180 sheep, 24 bags oysters, and sundries.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—August 3.

Tarrera, for Moreton River; Martha, for Manning River; Shamrock, Clara, for Newcastle; Hunmalla, for Wollongong.

SHIPS' MAILS.

MAILS will close at the General Post Office, as follows:—

FOR WANGAROA.—By the Lady Denison, this day, at noon, if not underway.

FOR TIMOR.—By the Clara Bayes, this day, at noon, if not underway.

FOR SINGAPORE.—By the Bitumalia, this day, at noon, if not underway.

FOR CALCUTTA.—By the Statellite, this day, at noon, if not underway.

FOR VALPARAISO.—By the Inspector Pim, this day, at noon, if not underway.

FOR MELBOURNE.—By the City of Brisbane (s), this day, at 4 p.m.

FOR BRISBANE.—By the Telegraph (s), this day, at 4 p.m.

FOR ROCKHAMPTON.—By the Dalhousie (s), this day, at 4 p.m.

FOR NEW CALEDONIA.—By the St. Kilda, on Monday, at noon.

FOR GRAFTON.—By the Sommerah Cuthbert (s), on Monday, at 7 p.m.

OVERLAND ROUTE.—Entered outwards, August 3.—Nile, brigantine, 161 tons, Captain Walker, for Adelaide, via Newcastle; Telegraph (s), 367 tons, Captain Fitzsimons, for Moreton Bay; City of Melbourne (s), 915 tons, Captain Walker, for Moreton Bay; Tyne, brig, 278 tons, Captain Fairclough, for S. S. Islands.

THE JANET.—It is more than three weeks since this vessel crossed the Hawkesbury River bay in company with several others, but nothing has as yet been heard regarding the fate of the Janet. It is, however, the general opinion that she foundered during the late gale. The Janet was a schooner-rigged vessel of 39 tons, and was commanded by Captain Gerrard, with a crew of three; and she had on board a cargo of mahogany and general produce which she was bringing on to Sydney.

NEWCASTLE.

ARRIVAL.

August 1.—Alfonso, barque, 401 tons, Simpson, from Dunedin, N.Z.

DEPARTURES.

August 1.—Camilla, barque, Eady, for Lyttelton, N.Z., with 350 tons coal.

August 2.—Sorata, barque, Chalow, for Wellington, N.Z., with 300 tons coal.

COASTERS INWARD.

August 3.—General Weel, from Sydney; Edith, from Port Stephens.

CUSTOM HOUSE ENTRIES.—August 3.

216 cases 24 casks ale, G. Thompson
237 packages hardware, &c., 1130 bars 60 bundles iron, 145 bundles tubing, 3 bundles bricks, F. Lassetter
43 tons rail, R. Hinton
3 cases sacks, Cobb and Co.
1 case velvets, C. J. Muller and Co.
90 cases wine, Mortimer and Co.
4 cases shirts, M. A. Hughes
320 hogsheads ale, 320 cases stout, R. and F. Tooth and Co.
1 case cartridges, J. Kenny and Co.
164 cases minerals, 21 hogsheads rum, J. Binney and Co.
32 packages drapery, Hoyt and Parsons
32 bundles tubing, 1 bale paper, 6 kegs nails, 1 package hardware, J. Mackintosh
38 kegs nails, 72 casks bills and nails, 36 packages hardware, F. B. Russell and Co.
4 packages tobacco, W. Wolfers and Co.
150 half-chests tobacco, Parbury, Brothers
2 cases mothers, G. Moss
1 manufactory, 1219 bags maize, Bailey and Scott
24 cases boots and shoes, J. Spring Stowe
642 bundles wire, 195 boxes glass, 10 hogsheads 10 barrels oil, 4 chests tea, Rabett, Robson, Fone, and Co.
24 cases drapery, F. Parks and Co.
7 cases drapery, 10 cases hats, J. and R. Hordern
61 casks pitch, 1 case cutlery, 1 cask glass, T. Kirns
1 sewing machine, D. C. Dalgleish
5 cases drugs, J. Watson
3 cases sundry, 1 cask cider, J. Dale
1 case saddlery, C. Maloney
9 cases apothecaries' ware, W. Peck
7 iron tanks, 4 tanks nails, Sandford and Co.
15 bundles pails, 500 half-boxes pipes, Baird, Paterson, and Co.
28 packages ironmongery, &c., 2 cases drapery, 290 casks nails, J. Armitage and Co.
23 packages saddlery, &c., J. B. Blackburn and Co.
150 casks beer, 49 packages hardware, M. Alexander
1 bales woolpacks, 1 bale cloth, T. Skinner
3 packages stationery, 128 bales paper, F. Macnab and Co.
1 cask ink, 4 cases stationery, Griffith and Co.
2 cases hats, T. S. Fraser
61 trunks boots, Bellingham and Ross
20 hogsheads beer, G. Wilson
30 hogsheads beer, A. Thompson and Co.
4 cases leather, 160 packages groceries, 2525 gallons beer, Smith, Birnham, and Co.
618 cases brandy, J. Fraser and Co.
10 cases matches, 20 cases cocoa and chocolate, J. C. Nicol
153 cases pickles, 166 cases vinegar, 115 cases oil, 151 packages sundries, 52 trunks boots, 17 casks tinware, 4 cases glass, 148 cases candles, 116 packages provisions, S. Hoffnung and Co.
230 hogsheads beer, Fanning, Griffiths, and Co.
156 cases claret, 76 quarter-casks sherry, Dangar, Dangar, and Co.
10 bundles wire, G. B. Ellsworth
74 bales hay, 6656 staves, 183,000 shingles, 58,000 palings, 1418 battens, 3000 feet timber, M. Bayley
23 packages stationery, 261 cases starch, 50 casks mineral water, H. and W. Paul
4 cases printing materials, W. B. Griffith
20 cases corn flour, 500 bags salt, McDonald, Smith, and Co.
200 cases 100 barrels beer, Campbell and Co.
15 bales bags, 27 trunks boots, 67 cases clothing, 4 cases drapery

Morpeth ... Calm. Fine.
Windsor ... N.E. Fine.
South Head ... N.E. Fine.
Sydney ... Calm. Dull, cloudy.
Wollongong ... Calm. Dull, threatening.
Kiama ... Calm. Threatening.
Bulgowa ... S.E. Fine.
Arahura ... S.E. Fine.
Queanbeyan ... N.N.W. Fine, dull, thr's.
Goulburn ... N.E. strong. Dull, cot.
Gresham ... S. Gloomy, cold.
Yass ... Calm. Dull.
Gundagai ... Calm. Dull.
Tumut ... Calm. Fine.
Kiandra ... N. Cold, raining slightly.
Albury ... S.E. Drops of rain.
Penrith ... Calm. Cloudy.
Bathurst ... W. Cloudy.
Orange ... Calm. Dull.
Forbes ... Calm. Fine.
Young ... Calm.
Wagga Wagga ... Calm. Dull, cloudy.
Deniliquin ... W. Cloudy, dull, like rain.
Hay ... Calm. Dull.
Mudgee ... Calm. Dull.
Dubbo ... Calm. Fine.
Cassilis ... S.E. Like rain.
Glen Innes ... N.W. Fine.

SYDNEY HEADS.

TIME.	WIND.	REMARKS.
August 3. 8.15 a.m.	S.W.	Light, cloudy, and hazy.
Noon.	N.E.	Dito, and dito.
5 p.m.	Calm.	Cloudy, and hazy.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, SYDNEY.
Latitude 33° 51' 41". Longitude 15h. 4m. 49s.
Magnetic Variation 10° 1' 30" East, 1866.

THE TIME bell is dropped daily (Sundays excepted), at 1h. p.m. Sydney mean time, or 9h. 46m. 14s. a.m., Greenwich mean time.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

Barometer corrected to 32° Fahr., and Mean Sea Level. Force of Wind, estimated in lbs. per square foot. Velocity of Wind, estimated in miles per hour. Rainfall and temperature, measured in inches, per square foot.

Hour.	Barometer.	Temperature of air.	Temperature of shade.	Hygrometry.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Force.	Wind. Velocity.	Rainfall.	Sky.	Remarks.
A.M. 8	30·512	55·0	52		W. by N.	0·2	6	0	0	2·5
P.M. 3	·322	57·8	52		W.N.W.	1·1	12	0		2·5
" 9	·323	55·5	50		W. by N.	0	0	0		0·5
Mean	30·348	57·7	54·5			0·4	8	0·0		2·5

Temperature 24 hours ..... 9·34°.

SELF-REGISTERING THERMOMETER.

Shade	Maximum ..... 63·1	Sun—maximum	97·1
	Minimum ..... 49·8	Grass—minimum	48·9

REMARKS.—Total rainfall from January 1st to this date, 29·3 inches. Annual average of the preceding seven years, 51·8 inches.

COMPARISON OF STATIONS.
AUGUST 2ND, 1866. CIVIL RECKONING.

STATION.	Height in feet above sea level.	Barometer.	Temperature of air.	Temperature of shade.	Hygrometry.	At 9 A.M. Direction.	At 9 A.M. Force.	At 9 A.M. Velocity.	For 24 hours previous to 9 a.m. Rain.	Sky.
SYDNEY	105	30·300	45·0	53		W. N. W	0·1	12	29·0	43·5	0
GRAFTON		30·121	52·0	52		W.	1·0	4	29·0	41·0	
ARMIDALE	3372	30·135	33·8			S.E.	4·0	8			
NEWCASTLE	135	30·287	47·0	54		N.W.	4·0	20	29·8	42·7	
SOUTH HEAD	287	30·275	47·0	55		S.W.	0·2	5		11·5	0
BANKSTOWN	240	30·300				S.	1·0	2	29·0	37·2	0
DENILIQUIN	430	30·167	51·0	63		W.	1·0	15	28·0		0
ALBURY	1035	30·000	49·0	60		Calm.	0	0		23·0	
GOULBURN	2152	30·245	42·0	54		Calm.	0	0	0·0	4·3	

* Grafton barometer reading is corrected to 32° Fahrenheit, but not to mean sea level. † Snow falling.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR AUGUST 4TH.

Object.	R. Ascension.	Declination.	Rises.	Sets.
	h. m.	° ′	h. m.	h. m.
SUN	8.55	17·32 N.	5.55	5.19
MOON	1.28	19·30 N.	12.34 a.m.	11.59 a.m.
MERCURY	10.32	6·30 N.	7.51 a.m.	7.15 p.m.
VENUS	9.52	14·54 N.	7.18 a.m.	6.52 p.m.
MARS	4.32	20·36 N.	3.31 a.m.	3.31 p.m.
JUPITER	11.33	3·21 S.	1.56 p.m.	1.4 a.m.
SATURN	14.18	11·33 S.	10.58 a.m.	9.1 a.m.

Moon's age ..... 8·24 days, a.m. on the 5th next quarter.

High water at Fort Denison ..... 4.30 h. 0m. p.m. (lunar time).

GEORGE S. SMALLEY, Government Astronomer.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, SYDNEY.
MONTHLY ABSTRACT FOR JULY, 1866.

TEMPERATURE	The highest in the shade	64·0, on the 5th
	Lowest in the shade	39·0, on the 26th and 27th
	Greatest range	Nil.
	Highest in the sun	90·4, on the 26th
	Lowest on the grass	32·0, on the 26th
	Mean in the shade	51·7
	Mean diurnal range	13·0
	Mean maximum	59·1
	Mean minimum	43·9
BAROMETER	Highest reading	30·536, on the 20th
	Lowest reading	30·186, on the 25th
	Greatest diurnal range	0·250, on the 27th
	Mean height	30·373
	Mean diurnal range	0·061
HYGROMETRY	Greatest amount	95, on the 3rd and 11th
	Least	35, on the 26th
	Mean	79·6
ELASTIC FORCE OF VAPOUR	Mean amount	·296
DEW POINT	Mean amount	3·5
ELECTRICITY	Number of days lightning	3
METEORS	Number observed	0
RAIN	Greatest fall	2·005 inches, on the 17th
	Number of days	14
	Total fall	4·425 inches
EVAPORATION	Greatest	1·41 inches
CLOUDY DAY	Mean amount	5·3
WIND	Mean pressure	20·5 lbs., on the 29th
	Prevailing direction	W
MOON'S PHASES	Last quarter	6d. 6h. 3m. a.m.
	New moon	12d. 3h. 49m. p.m.
	First quarter	19d. 8h. 48m. a.m.
	Full moon	26d. 3h. 17m. a.m.

GEORGE S. SMALLEY, Government Astronomer.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 1866.

In the Legislative Assembly, yesterday,

In reply to Mr. Robertson, Mr. Wilson said that a bill to amend the Minor Roads Act had been prepared, and would shortly be introduced; that the Government were aware that the Impounding Act required amendment, and that the subject would be attended to as soon as possible.

In reply to a question by Mr. Cowper as to negotiations by the Government with the Savings' Bank for obtaining part of the funds of that institution to meet the public expenditure, Mr. Eagar declined to answer the same until he had made his financial statement.

The Sydney Burials Ground Bill was read a third time and passed.

The House having gone into committee, a resolution was agreed to, affirming the desirableness of introducing a bill to remove the restrictions on distillation.

Mr. Cowper moved for papers connected with the subject of the performance of the duties of the offices of Chief Commissioner of Crown and Resident Estates and Master in Equity by one person, and the increase of salary to the chief-clerk in the Master in Equity's office, consequent upon Mr. Deffell having undertaken to fill the above offices jointly, and also connected with the recent separate appointment of a Master in Equity. The motion was condemned the course taken by the Government in departing from the management made by their predecessors, and in putting the country to a considerable extra expense without any corresponding benefit; and he censured, moreover, the appointment of Mr. Holroyd, as Master in Equity, by reason of his want of qualification for that office.

Mr. Martin defended the appointment of Mr. Holroyd, and showed that the course taken by the Government in again separating the two offices was absolutely essential for the interest of suitors. He would, however, produce the papers asked for.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. Forster moved that the petition of Mr. N. L. Kentish, presented by him on the 31st July, be printed.

Mr. Martin opposed the motion, which was negatived by 21 to 15.

Upon the motion of Mr. Cheeseman, returns were ordered relative to amounts paid or due for the construction respectively of the Great Southern, Great Western, and Great Northern lines of railway, from the 31st December, 1856, to the 31st July, 1866.

The Gold Fields Bill, the Cattle Disease Prevention Bill, and the Registration of Brands Bill were severally brought in and read a first time.

The order of the day for the third reading of the Customs Validation Bill having been read,

Mr. Garrett opposed the motion, and pointed out numerous objections to the bill; and in particular that there was nothing to show that this bill did give effect to the intention of Parliament in regard to the former one, which under the guise of an indemnity bill was really one of spoliation.

Mr. Lee and Mr. Dowan also opposed the bill.

Mr. Forster objected to the bill as undoing the decision of a Court of law, and depriving parties of a remedy which the law declared to be open to them.

Mr. Hart and Mr. Brown also opposed the bill as a measure of ex post facto legislation.

Mr. Lucas and Mr. Thom supported the bill.

Mr. Cowper felt unable to support the bill after the decision of the Supreme Court.

Mr. The Speaker supported the bill.

Mr. Hay, admitting the objection generally to retrospective legislation, still considered that, notwithstanding the decision of the Supreme Court, the case was one of extremely doubtful legality, and that an Act was necessary clearly to declare the law. He should be disposed to support the bill, with a proviso inserted indemnifying all those who had been put to expenses in the assertion of their claims.

Mr. Martin reminded the House that the Government had not brought in this bill to cure a mistake of their own. With regard to the decision of the Supreme Court, with every respect for the decisions of that tribunal generally, he was unable to acquiesce in this particular one, nor did he see that there was any moral claim on the part of the particular importers affected to a refund of these duties. The action taken by the Legislature in 1844 to legalize certain convictions made by magistrates illegally appointed was an example for the House to follow on this occasion. With reference to the proviso suggested by the previous speaker, though he approved of the principle, it was unnecessary to adopt it, as, except in the case which had been litigated, no expenses had been incurred.

Mr. Joseph supported the bill, which he considered would prevent a great injustice being done to the public.

The bill was read a third time upon a division of 29 to 12, and passed through all its remaining stages.

The House adjourned at half-past 6.

We must again call the attention of our readers to the facts involved in the measure just passed by the Assembly, and the second reading of which was carried *without discussion* by a majority of 17 to 7! The arguments of the Treasurer are not in our opinion in the slightest degree relevant to the case. We entirely dissent, too, from his notions that the merchants are to be regarded as a mere machinery for the distribution of goods imported. The merchants are owners of those goods. We hold further that the merchants in relation to the Government are not representative, and no one treats them as such. They come into the market with the goods they have purchased abroad and brought in to take the chances of that market, without any title to indemnity for any loss they may incur, whether arising from the accidents of trade or the pressure of taxation. Every one knows the rule applied in the imposition of new taxes, and that the discretion exercised by the Legislature is absolute when removing an impost as to the date at which abolition shall take effect, whatever the consequences to individuals in its removal.

The doctrine that the mercantile world is to be considered as standing between the Customs and the people in relation to taxation is utterly unknown and untenable in political economy. When a Parliament meets indeed to impose taxes, or to remove them, it is with the interests of the consumer that they ought to deal, and not specially with the merchant, because it is for the merchant to determine whether it will answer his purpose to supply the goods the people may require with the duties imposed by the Government. But the idea is monstrous that the Collector of Customs is to be the guardian of the interests of the people or to enter into any calculations or form any judgment as to who pays that tax which he demands as the condition of delivery, and in which he recognises the owner of the goods alone. It is in this fallacy that the Treasurer has involved himself, and if it is not sufficiently obvious to the members of the Assembly, all we can say is that they have advanced very little in fiscal science. But the feeling is that the Government will have to repay money which is received unlawfully, and that somebody will gain by it. In the narrow—we might almost say, narrow-minded—circles of the Assembly there are persons who seize any opportunity to signalize their hatred of merchants. It is mere whim and folly, but no doubt often dictates those stupid speeches and vindictive votes which mark their political career. To stop the merchants, therefore, from getting money which is their due, and to prevent the money in the Treasury from going back to those from whom it has been unlawfully taken, would be looked upon as a feat.

The opinions we have always expressed upon any such subject renders it unnecessary that we should say that the bearing of public questions on individual interest as a simple matter of personal consideration has no weight whatever with this journal. If any one chooses to suppose that the recovery by twenty or thirty dealers of a certain sum of money from the Government is a matter of interest to us we shall not disturb their illusion. We regret that anything should be taken from the Treasury that it might have come at by a law better considered; but a grand principle of government is involved in the question before the House, and it is in this view that we oppose the bill of the Treasurer.

The judgment of the Chief Justice, as it was recited in our journal of yesterday, puts the matter beyond all dispute. He lays down two things: first, that *importation* is complete when goods are landed, and that therefore they are liable to all the charges that existed at the date of their importation; but that being so imported any subsequent impost cannot fall upon them, unless the law makes a special provision, as a more recent Act has done, to include all goods that are in bond. The Chief Justice has also laid down another principle, which of course has no novelty in it—that whenever questions of public burdens are in debate before our Courts as to the meaning of the law, the construction shall be in favour of the subject. Upon these principles the award has been made to Tucker and Co. What does the Government propose to do? To pay the award. They pay it not because there is any shadow of pretence in justice for this preference, but because the thing otherwise comes up so broadly as a defiance of law. Those who have not entered a suit, although having rights equal to Mr. Tucker's, are to be cut off from any resource the law gives them because it is inconvenient. If they had cast the Government in costs they would be paid. Either Mr. Tucker ought to be deprived of his verdict as having been obtained in defiance of the *intention* of the Legislature, or the *intention* of the Legislature so improperly assumed ought not to affect the right of the parties who have not yet enforced that right by an appeal to law. The right of the suitors does not initiate in its prosecution before the Court. The Court only declares but does not create the right which it enforces; it expounds but does not make law.

It would have been more satisfactory if Mr. Eagar, in defending his law, had produced the cases upon which he founded that defence. To say generally that these things are often done is to satisfy no one. We all know that Acts of Indemnity are sometimes passed. But a case in which a defective law is cured in order to smooth its future operation or to stop vexatious actions on frivolous claims, surely is different from the broad features of a case where the claim is founded upon the fact that the Government took money to which it had not any title, and now attempts to prevent the recovery, excepting in one instance, by an *ex post facto* law.

When we look over the list of those who voted for the measure we fear we must conclude that there are many in this country who have far too little prospect for those securities by which all rights are held.

People may do anything that is necessary for the preservation of society. They may take anything society requires for its use or benefit, provided always they make, so far as it is in their power, ample compensation to those who are injured. But the passing of a law to retain money declared to have been illegally taken by the Courts, that decision not being questioned, is we venture to say a piece of legislation unknown in constitutional times in the Parliament of Great Britain. It is the business of the Executive to propose laws relating to taxation. It is the duty of that Executive to provide such inspection of their frame as shall give them proper effect. The oversights and lapses which occur are the disgrace of the Administration. The mischief they do is often incalculable. Having, however, committed errors involving loss to the public which has put them in their stations, and supports them in their offices, we *should* all bear the consequences of the wrong. The bill will, however, pass into another branch of the Legislature, and we hope there are there gentlemen sufficiently versed in constitutional law to deal with the measure upon its merits and without reference to the loss or gain of the Customs.

Among the last despatches of Mr. Cardwell upon the recent difficulty in Victoria there is one that marks with the strongest reprobation the threat of doing what the Government is pretending to do. Let the two cases be compared. The Government of Victoria took a step which certainly is in harmony with constitutional practice—namely, imposed by the Parliament of the country, and with the consent of the whole Legislature. This indeed became unconstitutional the moment the Government ceased to expect to pass their tariff. It was shown to be inconsistent with law by the decision of the Supreme Court. The Government then not only continued its import but threatened to bring in a law depriving of remedy those who might have a legal claim against it for the taxes so demanded. Nothing can be stronger or more statesmanlike than the denunciation of this conduct by Mr. Cardwell in his despatches to the Government of Victoria. But what is proposed to be done here is even worse, for the imposition of this charge from the beginning was not only illegal, but without even the authority of the representatives. It resulted from a mistake of the Customs. It was unwarranted by the letter of the law or by its spirit, and, therefore, was from the beginning always wrong, and, being wrong, consequently unjust. Now the Government proposes to do more than the Victorian Ministry ventured upon, namely, to make a charge valid which was illegal from the beginning, and to give that charge a retrospective action. We maintain that nothing like it has ever existed in regular government, and that no example given is at all relevant to this aspect of the case. What the Upper House therefore is bound to do is to consider its constitutional character, which is specially under their charge, and to deal with the bill in that light, without regard to any trivial inconvenience which it may impose upon the Administration of the day.

No doubt our remarks will be considered in the spirit of opposition. We are not careful, however, to answer in this matter. All we maintain is, that for many years it has been our custom to oppose every measure which has doviated from what we deem to be the fundamental laws of the country, and the guarantees for their due observance, and we shall do so always.

One of the ambitious of modern reformers in the school of social economy is to combine the purification of towns with the fertilisation of the country—to do this on a large and complete scale with a minimum of waste and a maximum of result. This idea, which in theory is so perfect, is in practice very difficult, and though much thought and much money have been expended on it, the realisation has been very partial.

According to the evidence given before the Commission on the State of Port Jackson great difficulties oppose themselves to any adoption of this plan in our metropolis. It would cost great expense, and it would bring in very little revenue.

The night soil taken from Sydney is, at present, deposited in large pits at Randwick, where it is mixed with sand and sold for manure. But for this purpose, though admitted to be particularly valuable, there is no adequate demand. Two shillings a load is the utmost that can be got for it, and there is no brisk sale even at that price. All that the Corporation gets is five pounds a year from the contractor, and he does not sell enough to pay his rent. This result may, perhaps, be partly due to the fact that Randwick is on the wrong side of the town for the market gardeners, the majority of whom live down by way of Parramatta-street. It does not pay them to go all the way to Randwick to fetch manure. It would take too much time, besides involving considerable extra labour for their horses. It suits them better to load up with stable manure, for which three shillings a load is readily given. If sewerage matter is to be turned into an available manure for sale to suburban cultivators, it must be made disposable at some place convenient for the majority of purchasers. The only other plan is to discharge the sewage by machinery at some distance from the city, and apply it directly to the land at the point of discharge. This, of course, would be expensive. The greater portion of it would have to be pumped up to a considerable height, to allow it to have a sufficient force to carry it away for the requisite distance. Two proposals were suggested to the Commission—one to take the sewage to Bondi, where it might be discharged into the sea below low water mark; and the other to take it to Botany, where it might be made available for market gardens. Both plans would be costly; the former would yield no revenue and the latter very little. They are schemes for the future. If we cannot raise a sewer rate that will pay an interest on the works already undertaken, we are not in a position to enter upon still more ambitious projects. Mr. Bell is of opinion that the existing discharge of sewage into the harbour is not appreciably injurious to the public health, and as the matter if arrested would not be much valued as manure, neither the waste nor the damage would seem to call for much interference. Even at Glebe Island the very valuable manure is wasted. Blood is well known to be a very rich fertiliser, and when mixed with the other manure collected at the island, it might have been thought that there would have been a great demand for it, especially as it is so little adulterated by water, and can be so cheaply removed by water carriage to water-side premises. But it is neglected. Instead of finding a customer, the Government has to go to expense to prevent the manure becoming a nuisance. The Colonial Architect says that up to the end of last year the Government only received £12 a year for the whole of the stuff caught in the traps, and that this year nothing can be obtained. In fact, £200 is asked for taking it away. Under these circumstances, the idea of making a profit out of the city sewage is not a very promising one, and those witnesses were, doubtless, correct who stated that there was very little probability of a public company taking up the project as a profitable speculation.

The tendency of the researches and experiments in England has been to show that town sewage is only available in the liquid form, and then only for the irrigation of grass lands. All attempts to deodorise the solid parts for transmission to distant places have hitherto proved failures, though success is not to be despaired of as science becomes wiser and art more skilful. The irrigating plan has been carried out with more or less success in some townships, especially where the situation has been convenient for discharge by natural gravitation; but in London, the metropolis of the world, where more money has been spent than anywhere else to take the sewage outside the city boundary, nothing has yet been done to utilise it. Some proposals, however, are under consideration, and an experiment on a large scale will perhaps soon be tried. Meanwhile there is an opposite tendency to revert to the simple and primitive plan of dealing with sewage in detail, and dispensing altogether with the vast mechanical appliances which are the delight of engineers. In other words, it is proposed, with some variations, to imitate the Chinese plan. The most enthusiastic advocate of this system is a clergyman, the Rev. Mr. Moule, who has invented an earth-closet to make the system practicable, and adapted to modern ideas, and who rides his hobby with exemplary vigour. Dr. Barnardo has introduced this apparatus at the military barracks at Fleddington, and speaks favourably of its operation, although the sand used there is not so absorbent as dried and powdered clay. He thinks it might be advantageously introduced into all the gaols and asylums. It has been tried to some extent in Melbourne, and to a considerable extent in Madras, but it is obviously more suited to country places than to densely populated towns. The habits of the people, the need of constant attention, and the too prevalent absence of cleanliness and domestic method, would make it practically unworkable. In the suburbs, however, where a regular sewerage system is not available, and where gardens are close at hand for utilising the manure, the system may be tried to advantage. It is a great benefit to get rid of cesspools, and where sewers and a copious supply of water are not possible, the *dry system* recommends itself for adoption. As, however, the population thickens in suburbs, and, from being rural appanages of a city, they become extensions of it, underground drainage will be more and more applied, and therefore, looking forward to the future, there is every probability that the sewage discharged into Port Jackson will increase. At present only one section of the city is connected with the sewer, and in that section only about thirteen hundred houses are so connected. The expense has deterred many landlords, and indifference has operated on many more. The discharge of house drainage into the harbour is, therefore, not at present very large. It will be considerably increased when all the practicable connections with it are made; still further increased when the whole of the city is provided with underground drainage, and further still when the suburbs that line the harbour adopt the same principle. The question for consideration is whether the system should be so extended, and, if so, under what conditions.

Caution: Shot Practice.—We have been requested to notify to the public that the Volunteer Artillery will carry on that practice from Dawes' Battery at 3 p.m. to-day. The target will be laid between Fort Denison and Mr. Macquarie's Chair; all boats are therefore warned that in crossing to the North Shore between Dawes' Battery and Garden Island they will cross the line of fire.

The Game Law.—Our readers will perceive that no price is quoted in this day's market report for wild ducks, teal, &c. The Act passed in the last session of Parliament for the preservation of game prohibits the killing or destroying game, imported or native, from the 1st August to the 31st December.

Botanic Gardens.—The Volunteer Band will perform this afternoon, at half-past 3 (weather permitting). Programme: Overture, "Fra Diavolo;" Auber; selection, "Bianca," Balfe; waltz, "Ruy Blas," Meacham; selection, "Dia Watchkeper in Granada," Kreutzer; quadrille, "I Puritani," Tinney; galop, "Sandy Beach," Callen; "God save the Queen." Director, Mr. Douglas Callen.

How the Increased Railway Fares Work.—Writing from Raine Hill, a correspondent remarks:—The new railway tariff begins to tell on the Rinkmore line, if we may judge by the Saturday trains, which are frequently seen displaying "A bargain account of empty benches," while road teams seem to be on the increase. The desirability of starting a coach between Windsor and Parramatta has been talked of here, and many think well of such an undertaking. On the other hand some are inclined to think it would not prove remunerative. The whole affair is a sad commentary on railway mismanagement. The railway system having paralysed the finances of the colony, and driven traffic and prosperity from the main roads, is now unable to carry passengers and goods at fares almost in excess of what prevailed before its introduction. It reminds one of Dean Swift's wonderful digging machine; it was very complex, rather costly, but could nevertheless be made by the few who understood it to turn up the ground nearly as well as the common plough.

Fatal Accident in York-street.—The City Coroner yesterday held an inquiry at the Criterion Hotel, Kingstreet, respecting the death of a child named Edward James Bennett, who was on Thursday last run over and killed in York-street by a hackney-coach, driven by a man named George Hughes. Thomas Glazey, draper, stated that as he was passing along York-street, near the Wesleyan church, about a quarter-past 1 o'clock, on last Thursday afternoon, he was startled by hearing an exclamation from some person near him, and on looking up, he saw a child knocked down by a butcher's cart, one of the wheels of which passed over the child's head; the cart contained meat; he distinctly heard the noise caused by the child's head being crushed under the wheel; he took the child up in his arms; the cart appeared to be much broken and bruised, and two or three of the fingers of the right hand were crushed and hanging in shreds; he gave the child to some woman, who took it away; he could not say at what speed the horse was being driven at the time; by his advice, the driver of the cart gave himself into the custody of the police. Thomas Hourie, who was standing in York-street, and observed the accident, stated that the horse was going at a slow trot; he saw the child walking along the street, near to the footway; suddenly the child turned round, and was in the act of running across the street, when it tripped against something and fell, and the cart passed over it; the child was not knocked down by the horse; the driver did everything he could, by shouting and turning the horse round, to prevent the accident, but was unable to pull up before the child was run over. Another witness, Joseph Smith, also stated that at the time the accident occurred the horse was not being driven very fast. The child, who was the son of Mr. Samuel Bennett, of King-street, died in about half-an-hour after the occurrence; deceased was first taken to the Infirmary, but subsequently to the residence of its parents. Dr. Wright stated that the child's head was fractured, and severely contused, which was the cause of death; three of the fingers on the right hand were also crushed. Verdict—"Deceased, aged 3 years 11 months, died from injuries accidentally received by being run over by a cart driven by one George Stephens."

Caution to Jurors.—Great difficulty is frequently experienced in getting gentlemen who have been summoned as jurors at a coroner's inquest to attend, and even those who do attend are often so late as to cause a delay of half an hour, and sometimes longer. At an inquest held yesterday, the attendance of gentlemen was so small, that it was found necessary to serve fresh summonses, and those who were present were kept waiting for some considerable time. It is juster to those gentlemen who attended punctually, and also to prevent a recurrence of such negligence, the City Coroner has ordered the infliction of a fine of £5 on each of the following gentlemen, who had been duly summoned as jurors, for non-attendance:—Thomas Hill, licensed victualler; James Lovell, cyderman; William Rose, stevedore; Henry Weil, butcher; and Joseph Spinks, licensed victualler.

The Late Fire at the Glebe.—In the paragraph respecting the above, which appeared in yesterday's issue, a mistake occurs. Mr. G. Wigram Allen's property was insured in the London and Lancashire Insurance Office (not London and Liverpool, as stated). The amount for which it was insured has been paid; and we understand that the amounts insured for the Victoria Office have also been paid.

Mentone.—In the article "A Trip Round the World," in Thursday's issue, for Colquhoun read Mapleson.

The Weather.—For the last fortnight, the weather has been both in and for some distance around Sydney, last week remarkably fine, westerly and south-westerly winds prevailing, and sometimes blowing extremely cold; and from reports received from the country it appears unexceptable weather seems to have prevailed over the colony.

Mr. Barton's Sixth Lecture on English Literature.—Yesterday evening Mr. G. E. Barton, B.A., delivered at the School of Arts, in Pitt-street, the last of his course of lectures on the English Language and Literature in the Sydney University, delivered at the School of Arts, in Pitt-street. The last lecture of the course of lectures on the English Language and Literature to the Accession of Queen Elizabeth. There was a large and appreciative audience. The lecture treated of the important historical period extending from 1450 to 1550. The fifteenth century was characterised by the use of literary dialects, for writers of any merit, in poetry or in prose, having then in any way claimed themselves. In the sixteenth century, however, a mental activity had been displayed that in some stages. The period treated of by the lecturer was characterised in three respects: 1st, for the introduction of printing; 2nd, for the revival of learning; and 3rd, for the Reformation. It was an era which was, moreover, remarkable for the passage round the Cape of Good Hope, and the discovery of the Continent of America,—causes which were, of course, sufficient to produce great intellectual commotion; national mind must have been stirred to its inmost depths—there was a commercial activity everywhere. Wealth was accumulated from all parts—even Caxton was a mercer and his experience as a mercator no doubt fitted him for an embassy entrusted to him. The life of that man by the printing in England was extremely interesting; it could not be studied without great advantage, and it would have a direct bearing upon the literature of the age, and was impossible to misinterpreted. Following up his subject, the lecturer then proceeded to give many interesting details in the life of Caxton, from the time when he was a page of the Fourth (or England), at the Court of his cousin, the Duke of Burgundy, until his arrival in England in 1476, when he set up his press in Westminster Abbey, and continue to the superintendence of that monastic house, working at his press, he laboured at the task of translating and translated not less than 5000 closely printed folio pages. His claim to be ranked as the first English printer was then discussed, but, as it appeared, without sufficient data. The lecturer, having disposed of that point, gave an interesting date respecting the printing of Caxton, and the nature of the process as he used it. Caxton was a Gothic, and, instead of using a Roman character—as Dutch printers do up to the present time—his works were carefully revised and corrected by the most competent persons being employed to go through each impression. Caxton printed sixty-four works in England, and there before his 14th Germany—in all sixty-one, first book he printed in England was "The Game and Play of the Chesse—translated out of the French, and imprinted by W. Caxton. Finished the last day of March, the year of our Lord God a thousand four hundred lxxiiij." Caxton's second work was "The Dictes or Sayings of the Philosophers," a kind of book-lore of a man." The introduction of printing at this particular period was most opportune in two respects; it mater

NEW SOUTH WALES PARLIAMENT.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FRIDAY, 3RD AUGUST.

THE SPEAKER took the chair at half-past 3 o'clock p.m.

MINOR ROADS ACT.

In the absence of Mr. Roberts, Mr. LUCAS asked the Secretary for Lands,—"1. If it is the intention of the Government to introduce, this session, a Minor Roads Act? 2. Is it the intention of the Government to repeal or amend the Impounding Act this session?"

Mr. WILSON said that a Bill to amend the Minor Roads Act had been prepared, and would shortly be laid before the House. The Government were aware that the Impounding Act required amendment, and would attend to it as soon as possible.

FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS.

Mr. COWPER asked the Colonial Treasurer,—"Whether the Government has entered into any arrangement with the Bank of New South Wales for obtaining a part of the funds of that institution to meet the public expenditure; if so, what are the particulars of the arrangement; and if he will lay upon the table of the House any documents or correspondence on the subject?"

Mr. EAGAR said he must respectfully decline to answer the hon. member's question pending the delivery of the financial statement. When that statement was made the fullest information would be afforded to the House respecting the financial policy of the Government.

SYDNEY BURIAL GROUNDS BILL.

On the motion of Mr. WILSON, this Bill was read a third time, passed, entitled, and ordered to be transmitted to the Legislative Council with the usual message.

DISTILLATION BILL.

On the motion of Mr. FORSTER, the House resolved itself into committee of the whole to consider the propriety of introducing a bill to remove restriction upon distillation.

Mr. FORSTER, in moving that it was desirable to introduce a bill to remove restrictions upon distillation, said he hoped the Government would not oppose the measure at this stage, inasmuch as it was agreed that some of the restrictions upon distillation should be removed. He might state that he had received several suggestions from his constituents, who desired the bill to pass, and who had made a proposal to him, which, if acceded to, would obviate the objections taken to this measure last year. At present he was not in a position to say more, but would simply ask the committee to pass the resolution affirming the desirability of introducing a bill to remove restrictions upon distillation.

The question was put, and passed.

The House then resumed, the resolution was reported, and the report ordered to be received on Tuesday next.

SUPREME COURT APPOINTMENTS.

Mr. COWPER moved,—"That an address be presented to the Governor, praying that his Excellency will be pleased to cause to be laid upon the table of this House, copies of all correspondence which has taken place between their Honors the Judges and any other persons, respecting the performance of the duties of the offices of Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates and the Master in Equity by one individual, and the increase of salary to the chief clerk in the Master in Equity's Office, consequent upon Mr. Duffell having undertaken to fill the office of Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates jointly with that of Master in Equity, together with any subsequent correspondence having reference to the late appointment of a Master in Equity separate from the Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates. Also, of any rules of Court made for the conduct of the business of the Master's Office which it was determined to unite the offices of Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates and Master in Equity." He might state to the House some of the facts connected with this matter, as far as his memory would enable him to do so, and with regard to the grounds upon which he asked for these documents. He was not aware that there was any correspondence between the Judges and the Government respecting this matter, but if there were any, the House ought to be possessed of it. At the time when the Registrar was appointed to the Insolvent Court, it was understood that a large portion of the duties of that Court were to be performed by the Registrar, and the Chief Commissioner had thus been relieved of a considerable amount of work. It had been, he believed, an admitted fact, that after Mr. Macfarland had been appointed Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates, the business of the Insolvent Court had been very much reduced; so much so that Mr. Macfarland (Mr. Cowper) was informed that his time was not fully occupied, and he was willing to undertake other duties. It had been considered that the Chief Commissioner could, by attention to his duties, perform them all in two years per day, for two days in each week. The Government had occasionally appointed Mr. Macfarland—partly on account of there being insufficient employment for him as Commissioner of Insolvent Estates—a Judge of the District Court. He (Mr. Cowper) had then blamed in communication with the Master in Equity, Mr. Duffell, and had him whether he felt equal to the performance of the duties of the two offices. Mr. Duffell made no difficulty in the matter, but thought that the chief clerk should receive an increase of salary. The chief clerk's salary was increased from £350 to £500 per year, and efforts were made to establish the two offices of Master in Equity and Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates. He (Mr. Cowper) now wished to draw the attention of the House to the increased staff of these departments, and he did so because so much had been said by the present Government about retrenchment, and he believed that if one mode of retrenchment were better an another, it was the reduction of the officers in the various departments. The staff of the department under Mr. Macfarland was now very great. The chief clerk's salary had been raised to £500 per year, and Mr. Duffell had undertaken the duties of the two offices. Afterwards (Mr. Cowper) understood that Mr. Duffell thought he could receive some remuneration for doing extra duty, and Mr. Plunkett, the then Attorney-General, had assented to his request, and granted £300 on the Estimates as an addition to the salary of the Master in Equity. Before those Estimates were considered the Government went out of office, and on the Estimates then brought in a original salary was restored. He was not in the House at the time the estimate was passed, but if he had been, he could hardly have raised his voice against the Government, enforcing the temper of the House at the time. He had, however, been content to let the error be rectified at a future time. The state of the matter now was this—We had Commissioner of Insolvents with a salary of £1000 per year; a registrar, with a salary of £600; a Master in Equity, with a salary of £1000; and a chief clerk, with a salary of £500 a year—and this increase had been brought about after representations had been made for performing the duties of the departments satisfactorily at a much less cost. He ought it right that the attention of the House should drawn to this matter, and that the documents relating on the subject should be produced before the Estimates came on for discussion. He thought that at any rate a gentleman who filled the office of Master in Equity right to know something of Equity, but he was formed that the gentleman who now performed the duties of that office knew nothing of Equity law. The legal profession was divided into many branches, and some lawyers devoted themselves only to one branch of the law. r. Holroyd, he understood, knew nothing of Equity. at, however, was not the point at present under consideration. All that he desired was that the attention of the ouse should be drawn to the extravagance shewn by the government in dealing with the matter.

Mr. DRIVER seconded the motion.

Mr. MARTIN said it would have been better if the hon. member, in stating the reasons which induced him to submit this motion, had avoided the series of sneers in which had indulged with reference to persons and matters ich had not been brought before the House at all this occasion. The hon. member (Mr. Cowper) must ve been conscious that in speaking thus he was speaking things that he knew nothing about. A lawyer might ow little of Equity, but a person who was not a lawyer totally must know less, and the information that the hon. ember gave the House must have been second-hand. a hon. member would have an opportunity of discussing the much laugh as might suit him the propriety of the ings made by the present Government on a future occaon. This was not now the time for such a discussion. a hon. member might have avoided saying anything out the qualifications of Mr. Holroyd, the gentlemen who had been appointed Master in Equity, sume the hon. member could of himself know nothing of e gentleman's qualifications. The members of that tleman's own profession could judge best of his qualifiations for the office, and were, he thought, more likely than e hon. gentleman (Mr. Cowper) to give an impartial gment in the matter. The hon. member had spoken of temper of the House, but it was to be regretted that the n. member had himself indulged in much temper. He r. Martin) believed that Mr. Holroyd had given great tisfaction to the legal profession, and this was not the t time that gentlemen, who had divided his attention ween the study of common and criminal law, d been appointed to an office of the same kind. Duffell was not appointed specially because he had ed his attention to the Equity branch of his fession, but when the office was conferred upon him ten twelve years ago, after the first few months of his ncy upon the duties, he gave general satisfaction in the harge of them. The hon. member said it was generally admitted that there was extravagance in the department. He (Mr. Martin) denied it. Extravagance could only be understood as considered in connexion h the duties to be performed. It was not necessarily case that because one officer received £1000 a year and ther only £500, that there was extravagance in regard to higher salary. We must consider the difficulties of, and liffications necessary for the office, as well as the diffiy of getting suitable persons to discharge the duties rectly. The officers of the Supreme Court were ussed in the discharge of the most important duties ling with affairs connected with all of us, and trolling matters of great interest to every member of the munity in every possible relation in civil life, and the ur discharge of the duties required men of the highest ity and the highest salaries we could afford to pay. ve might be a false as well as a wise economy, and he ight the hon. member had shewn that he had a party for the former rather than for the latter. There d be no objection to place the whole correspondence s the table; it was necessary to enable the House to e of the propriety of the charge made in the Supreme rt by the hon. member. The re-establishment of the e of Master in Equity, he (Mr. Martin) believed to be a step; but he thought these papers would show that it not only wise but inevitable. No doubt, Mr. Duffell, when it was proposed upon him, undertook the duties of Master in Equity and those of Chief Commissioner in Insolvent Estates, but it was soon found that he could not efficiently discharge the duties of both offices, and in endeavouring to do so, the business got into arrear; no less than twenty-nine equity suits in the office of one solicitor having accumulated on account of the impossibility of getting them disposed of. Complaints, of course, came to the Government, urging the change that afterwards took place. The Government did not appoint Mr. Holroyd till they had made every effort to secure the services of persons who had devoted their attention more especially to the Equity branch of law. Application was made and renewed to one gentleman who would have discharged the duties to the satisfaction of everybody, but he said better than they were now discharged by Mr. Holroyd, but whose previous acquaintance with this particular branch would at once have inspired confidence. He, however, refused the office, and it was not till after his refusal that the appointment was offered to Mr. Holroyd. In the opinion of those best qualified to judge, he believed this appointment would do no discredit to the Government. He (Mr. Martin) should regret that there should be any possible dispatch in preparing this voluminous correspondence, so as to have it in the hands of the House at the earliest possible moment.

Mr. COWPER, the mover, said he might thank the hon. member that he would take any course he chose, and which the rules of the House would admit, with reference to the hon. member's conduct on that of any other hon. member, and in doing so he was not likely to be put down by the assertion of the hon. member, who started the subject of the hon. member since the opening of the session, and which were such as to excite universal disapprobation and disgust. The hon. member would not continue to pursue that course without receiving every shock he (Mr. Cowper) could give, and he believed that he would be supported by the House. He did not care for the hon. member's opinion of Mr. Holroyd, and he maintained, whatever the hon. member thought of the matter, that this was the proper occasion upon which to express his (Mr. Cowper's) opinion. He would assert, then, that Mr. Duffell was pressed to accept the office. Mr. Macfarland offered his services to the Government, and as the guardian of the public interests it would have been unscrupulous to allow the state of things to that office to continue one moment longer than they were bound to do. When the Estimates were being passed the House insisted upon only allowing the Government an annual charge of £10,000 per month until they had effected retrenchment; yet it was shown that the present Government was in no way economical, maintaining as he did that the provision for the law department was very extravagant. When the officers themselves preferred a re-arrangement for the sake of economy, were we not to adopt it? He had been astonished and humiliated at the course taken by the opposition, but he would take every opportunity to draw attention to the monstrous extravagance of the Government in anything connected with the public interests. During the session the hon. member would hear, from those who would be glad and happy to hear from, some comments upon the course he was pursuing, and he hoped the attention of the House so directed to it as to call for some expression of opinion to shew him that the position he occupied would not be made more easy by the tone he had adopted.

The motion was put, and agreed to.

PETITION.

Mr. FORSTER moved that the petition of M. L. Nevill, presented by him on Tuesday, July 31st, be printed. He said he understood the motion for the printing of a petition from the same petitioner had been opposed, but whatever reluctance he had in making this motion—considering the unusual length of the petition—still, looking at the great danger that might accrue to important interests that they were appointed to guard, if we made a precedent by refusing to print it, he had taken the present step.

Mr. FARNELL seconded the motion.

Mr. MARTIN said, unless the hon. mover would assure the House that the petition contained no serious reflection upon persons not members of the House, the motion might not to be agreed to.

The question being put—

	Ayes, 13.		
Mr. Cowper	Mr. Cummings	Mr. Brown	
Hart	Garrett	Driver	
Parnell	Neale	Donnelly	
Forster	Macleay	Macpherson	
Macpherson	Cameron	Smith	Tellers.
	Noes, 21.		
Mr. Martin	Mr. Newton	Mr. Osborne	
Wilson	Lee	Bailey	
Parkes	Campbell	Ryan	
Eagar	White	Lloyd	
Cowper	Jaques	Cummings	
Roberts	Manley	Byrnes	
Hay	Dignan	De Salis	Tellers.

The question was therefore resolved in the negative.

RAILWAY EXPENDITURE: BRANDIS BILL.

Mr. CUMMINGS moved,—"That there be laid upon the table of this House,—1. A return setting forth, in round numbers, the actual amount paid or due for the construction of the Great Southern line of railroad since the 31st of December, 1864, to the 31st July, 1866, including all cost and charges connected therewith. 2. A similar return, containing similar information relative to the Great Northern and Western lines."

Mr. HART seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

GOLD-FIELDS BILL.

Mr. GARRETT brought up the resolution of the committee of the whole, "That it is desirable to introduce a bill to amend the law relating to Gold-fields."

The resolution having been read a second time, and agreed to,

Mr. WILSON introduced the bill, and it was read a first time.

The bill was ordered to be printed, and the second reading was made an order of the day for Thursday next.

CATTLE DISEASE PREVENTION BILL.

Mr. GARRETT brought up the resolution from the Committee of the Whole on this bill.

On the motion of Mr. WILSON, the bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed, and the second reading was fixed for Wednesday next.

REGISTRATION OF BRANDS BILL.

Mr. GARRETT reported the resolution from the Committee of the Whole on this bill.

On the motion of Mr. WILSON, the bill was introduced and read a first time. The bill was ordered to be printed, and the second reading was made an order of the day for Wednesday next.

CUSTOMS VALIDATION BILL.

Mr. EAGAR moved the third reading of the Customs Validation Bill.

Mr. GARRETT said that he felt that he owed the House an explanation for the course he was about to take. He was taken by surprise yesterday when he found that there was no one in the House whose position entitled him to take the lead in opposition to the bill. He was aware that many hon. members were opposed to the bill, and he had also heard opinions adverse to it outside. Yesterday, when a division was called for, he voted against the measure, and to-day he had inquired of two of his friends whether they would not oppose it. One was compelled to leave the House early, and the other declined to take action in the matter. That being the case, he was bound to enter his humble protest against this bill, which if passed would, in years to come, be cited as an instance of monstrous robbery. The principle of the bill was one of the most wicked and vicious that it was possible to employ in legislation. In the Customs Bill of 1855, under which imports had been illegally levied, there was no clause conferring the Government to demand the increased duties of 20 per cent. on goods then in bond. This was a charge which members never understood as having to pay, and the increase was so extraordinary that in many cases it amounted to three or four hundred per cent. on the value of goods imported. This was probably the reason why the fourth clause in the Customs Bill of 1857 was omitted from that of 1858, it being seen that it would cause undue embarrassment. The omission of the 4th clause of 7 Victoria No. 8 from the Customs Bill of 1858 was a proof that the Legislature never intended to charge the new duties of 20 per cent. on goods then in bond. The measure now before the House was so unjust, and was to obtain an end so preposterously paltry, that no half-decent man, after calmly considered its provisions could assent to its becoming law. It might be that lawyers had been begun by other merchants to recover payments unjustly exacted from them, but such would now be deterred from prosecuting their suits, and would, perhaps, be put to considerable loss by having to pay the preliminary expenses for witnesses, warrants, &c., consequent on taking action at law.

Mr. EAGAR: The hon. member will, perhaps, allow me to inform him that no actions have been commenced.

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NOTES OF THE WEEK.

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The friends of the late Sir F. W. Pottinger have recently caused a monument to be erected to the memory of that gentleman over his grave in Randwick churchyard.

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Mr. Frederick Ellard gave a concert at Messrs. Johnson and Co.'s rooms, in Pitt-street, on Friday, the 27th of July.

A useful addition has recently been made to the Parramatta River service in the iron steamer Pearl, hitherto plying on the Balmain Ferry, but which has undergone a metamorphosis by lengthening to her present dimension of 100 feet.

The usual half-yearly meeting of the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney was held on the 27th. The report was even more favourable than that of the preceding half-year. The balance sheet showed profits making a total of £54,581 5s. 2d.

Late papers from Noumea, the chief town of the French colony of New Caledonia, state that the local Government have invited the colonists there to co-operate in the intercolonial exhibition at Melbourne.

There has been some considerable discussion during the last few days about the propriety of closing the Newtown Cemetery. The Government have pledged themselves to bring forward a measure upon the subject without delay. The promised measure is also to have reference to the churchyard of St. Jude's, Randwick. A Government bill for closing all the city burial grounds passed its second reading in the Legislative Assembly, on Thursday last.

It has been found necessary to discharge the cargo of the Lady Bowen, that vessel having sustained greater injuries from her late mischance than was at first surmised.

Copper-yielding mineral has been found at Ducos Island on the north-west coast of New Caledonia.

Last Monday week at Yass, there was a slight fall of snow, which was preceded and followed by rain. On the next day, snow fell in different parts of the district, but chiefly to the westward. In the coast district, for the last ten days, the weather has been fine and clear, but windy and cold. The hills within sight of Bathurst have for several days been covered with deep layers of snow; and, though during the day the sun's rays are occasionally bright, the nights are nippingly cold from keen frosts.

A ketch, named the Lydia (which had left the Macleay River on the 11th of July), was wrecked near the Manning in the gale on the 12th; master and crew saved.—The Mountain Dyke, from Melbourne, was wrecked near the Kent Group on the 16th; master and crew saved.—The schooner Lismore, which was stranded on the North Shore, at Newcastle, has been got off; and hopes are entertained of floating off the steamtug Bungaree at the same port.

The quantity of gold received for coinage at the Mint during the week ending 27th instant amounted to 5924 oz. The amount of coin issued during the same period was 73,000 sovereigns.

Last Saturday afternoon, a rifle match between ten men of the Parramatta Company Volunteer Rifles, and ten of No. 5 Company S. B. V. R. took place at the Volunteer Rifle Range, Paddington, and resulted in a victory for the Parramatta men by 34 points.

The Messrs. Miller, of Maitland, have succeeded in manufacturing good sugar from the imphee.

The Steam Navigation Board are about to institute an inquiry into the loss of the Cawarra.

On Monday evening last, an instructive lecture on the "Philosophy of Amusement" was delivered by Mr. W. G. Pennington, in the schoolroom belonging to the Congregational church of Woollahra, under the pastoral charge of the Rev. J. Vetch. The lecture was given in connection with the Woollahra Literary Society, a large number of whom were present.

On Sunday morning last, Fraser's store at Forbes was broken into, and about £50 worth of goods stolen. The police made a clever capture of the thieves a few hours after the robbery.

The following meetings took place on Monday last:—The half-yearly meeting of the Joint Stock Bank; the half-yearly meeting of the City Bank; the half-yearly meeting of the Wallsend Coal Company; the half-yearly meeting of the Clarence and Richmond River Steam Navigation Company; the general meeting of the Hartley Kerosene and Paraffine Company and the Western Kerosene Company; and the half-yearly meeting of the Pyrmont Bridge Company.

A lecture on the "Ups and Downs" of life was delivered last Monday evening, by the Rev. Thomas Smith, in the schoolroom adjoining St. Barnabas' Church. Mr. J. Pemell, M.L.A., occupied the chair.

The schooner Eagle was wrecked on the North Head on Monday morning last. The crew were saved.

A conference between the New South Wales Commissioners for the Universal Exhibition at Paris in 1867, and the two delegates from the Commissioners of the Intercolonial Exhibition to be held at Melbourne during the present year, took place at the Legislative Council Chambers in the office of the President, last Monday afternoon. The attendance was numerous.

On Monday last, a meeting of all persons connected with the Civil Service of this colony was convened, in the Civil Service Club-house, for the purpose of taking into consideration certain suggestions for the amendment of the existing Civil Service and Superannuation Acts. A large number of persons were present. The Hon. E. Deas Thomson occupied the chair.

Seventy children have been transferred from the Benevolent Asylum in George-street, to the Destitute Children's Asylum at Randwick.

A Newtown Auxiliary to the Anglican Church Society was established at Newtown at a meeting held there on Monday last.

An exhibition of needlework at the Model National School, Fort-street, took place last Tuesday afternoon, in the presence of a numerous assemblage of visitors—chiefly relatives and friends of the female scholars of that institution. It was an agreeable "show day" for the female pupils, answering all the purposes of an annual examination. The girls of the fourth and fifth classes presented to Mr. Wilkins a handsome inkstand of solid silver, with a brief, well-written address expressive of their gratitude and affectionate respect.

On Tuesday evening, Mr. Cobley's concert, (principally consisting of harp music) took place in St. Philip's schoolroom, Church-hill.

A tea meeting in connection with the Pitt-street Congregational Juvenile Missionary Society was held in the schoolroom, last Tuesday evening. After tea, addresses were delivered to the children.

Herr Sipp, the pianist, gave a concert at the Masonic Hall, on Wednesday evening last.

On Thursday afternoon, the 20th of July, the foundation-stone of a building to be used for the purpose of the Morpeth National School was laid by Mr. W. Wilkins, secretary of the Board of National Education; and a soirée, to celebrate the event, was held in the evening, in the Morpeth School of Arts.

The first stone of the new Roman Catholic Church of St. Joseph was laid on Tuesday last, by the Very Rev. S. J. A. Sheehy, in the presence of a very numerous concourse of persons, at Kingstown, Newtown. The site of the church is on the slope of the hill, immediately opposite the railway station. The style is Gothic. Mr. Rowe, architect.

The Registrar-General has invited the friends and relatives of the persons drowned on the coast during the late gales, to furnish him with the names and ages of those persons, and such other particulars required under the Registration Act as may be in their power, for the purpose of being recorded in the Death Register of his department.

The Rev. Dr. Fullerton and the Rev. J. M'Gibbon—two Presbyterian Ministers—waited upon the Colonial Secretary, at his office, on Tuesday, to express their views with reference to the question of education.

The annual meeting of the Home Visiting and Relief Society was held on Tuesday evening last, in St. James's schoolhouse, Castlereagh-street. His Excellency Sir John Young presided. A report was read and adopted, and resolutions moved and passed.

On Tuesday last the following meetings took place:—The half-yearly meeting of the A. S. N. Company; the half-yearly meeting of the Bulli Coal Company; the half-yearly meeting of the Peak Downs Copper Company; and, lastly, a general meeting of the Bergalia Mineral Reef Company. The second half-yearly meeting of the Parramatta River Steam Company was held on the afternoon of the same day.

A motion, calling for returns relative to the issue of seed wheat by the Government, was carried in the Legislative Assembly on Tuesday evening last. The motion was introduced by Mr. Macpherson. On the same day Mr. Samuel moved for a committee of inquiry into the management of the Customs, and into the circumstances relating to the recent suspension of the Collector and other officers of that department. After a smart debate the motion was negatived.

The usual monthly meeting of the Horticultural Society was held last Wednesday evening, at the School of Arts, at which a paper on the cultivation and disease of the orange was read by Mr. L. Woof.

A telegram was received by the Inspector-General of Police on Wednesday, stating that Clarke's gang had stuck up and robbed the Queanbeyan and Goulburn mail, about five miles on the Goulburn side of Bungendore, on Tuesday morning. On the 1st instant, a ruffian, known as "Yellow Billy," stuck up the Wollombi mail, at the Twenty-one Miles Pinch, on its way to Maitland.

Amongst the recent deaths we have to record the following cases:—On Thursday week a married woman, named Mary Jane Hayes, of Fort-street, died suddenly from the effects of intemperance.—Helen Harris died in the Sydney Infirmary, on the morning of the 27th, from the effects of a dissipated life, want of food, and exposure to the weather.—A cab driver, named Benjamin Nichols, of Darlinghurst Road, died on the night of the 27th, from the kick of a restive horse.—A poor wanderer, named John Flannigan, has been found, during the last ten days, dead in the bush near Humewood, not far from Yass.—A man, named William Thomas, was drowned last Saturday, having fallen overboard from the Lurline whilst entering the port.—An aged man, of intemperate habits, was found dead at Stockton on Saturday last.—A man, named James Phillips, died at Exeter-place, suddenly, on Tuesday morning last, from natural causes.—Mary Tubbley Scott died suddenly, of disease of the heart, at her residence in Shepherd's Paddock, last Monday night.—Last Tuesday week, the body of an unfortunate German shepherd, named John Maro, was found in the bush at Sandy Creek under very painful circumstances. He is supposed to have died suddenly of disease of the heart.—A little child, named James Bonnett, was run over and killed in York-street, on Thursday last.—An aged man, named Richard Scarlett, died at Ashfield, of exhaustion and exposure, on Wednesday last.

There was "no House" in the Assembly on the 27th of July and on the 1st of August.

The usual fortnightly meeting of the Philosophical Society of New South Wales was held last Wednesday night in the hall of the Australian Library, Bent-street. The chair was occupied by Professor Smith, of the Sydney University. The Rev. Dr. Bleasdale and Mr. Knight, Commissioners of the Victorian Exhibition, were present. Dr. Bleasdale exhibited an interesting collection of mineral specimens. Papers were read by Mr. G. R. Smalley, the Government Astronomer, and by Mr. G. Krefft, the Curator of the Australian Museum.

Mrs. S. Priestly, jun., residing in Albion-street, Surry Hills, was on Wednesday morning last burned so severely, that she expired at midnight. It appears that the unfortunate young lady was leaning over the fire when the sleeve of her dress ignited.

A well-attended meeting of the Wrecks Relief Committee, convened by circular, was held last Wednesday afternoon, at the Town Hall. His Worship the Mayor presided.

The mail steamer Rakaia arrived from Panama on the 1st instant, having left Panama on the 24th of June. She brought English news up to the 2nd of June.

A fire broke out at the Glebe on Thursday morning, when four houses were burnt to the ground.

The annual meeting of the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron took place at their club-rooms, Bridge-street, on Thursday last.

A large meeting of gardeners and dealers in produce in and around Sydney was held last Thursday evening, at the Burrangong Hotel, Haymarket, Mr. John Bowmer in the chair.

The *Maitland Mercury* understands that the A. S. N. Company's Marine Superintendent, Mr. Munro, arrived in Newcastle on Monday last, his object being to ascertain whether it will be possible to raise the wreck of the Cawarra. He was accompanied by a diver. Soundings have since been taken, and a part of the vessel has been found at a depth of twenty-two feet.

On Thursday evening last, the Customs Validation Act, introduced by the Government, was read a second time in the Legislative Assembly.

A meeting of the Roman Catholic residents of Woollahra was held at Mr. Edmonds's, Bayswater, Hotel, last Thursday evening, to take into consideration the best means to collect funds for the erection of a church in that locality.

On Tuesday evening, the Rev. S. C. Kent delivered his lecture on "Dr. Arnold and Tom Brown's School Days," in the Congregational schoolroom, Redfern, to a numerous audience. The Rev. William Slatyer occupied the chair. On Wednesday evening Mr. Kent delivered his lecture on Mormonism, at Newtown.

On Wednesday evening the Rev. W. Beg, M.D., delivered a lecture on "How to get on, or how an apprentice boy became Lord Mayor of London," in the Presbyterian Church, Pyrmont, Sydney, in behalf of the liquidation of the debt on the building.

The annual meeting of the Surry Hills branch of the New South Wales Wesleyan Church Sustentation and Extension Society was last Wednesday evening held in Bourke-street Church, the Rev. W. Curnow presiding.

A meeting of the Committee of the New South Wales Rifle Association was held on Thursday, at which it was decided to hold the next annual meeting for prize shooting at the Paddington Range, in the first week of October.

PREPARATION OF BARK FOR TANNING.—The *Armidale Telegraph* of 28th ultimo says:—The other day Alderman Tyson showed us a sample of cut bark, for tanning purposes, which he had prepared by the use of his chaff-cutting machine. All who have any knowledge of the use of this material for the purpose named are aware that the usual method of preparing the bark is either by grinding or chopping it. In most establishments the latter method is adopted, and such was the case at Mr. Tyson's tannery till now. The sample shown to us was in half-inch, or lesser pieces, and Mr. Tyson informs us it will be worth, in this form, twice the quantity of that chopped. As a matter of course it will prove a great saving to him, and perhaps the hint might be worth something to other tanners.

THE FRANKLIN MONUMENT.—The *H. T. Mercury* of 28th July, in announcing the completion of the monument to the Immortal Franklin, remarks that there has been some talk about the formal uncovering of it on the occasion of the opening of Parliament on the 31st of the month, and one or more of the commissioners had, we understand, declared themselves in favour of an arrangement of this kind. But then came the question as to whether it should be before or after the opening of Parliament, and that led to some difficulty. If before, it could hardly be expected that the Governor would be there, which is in every respect desirable, whenever the ceremony does take place. If after, ministers and their friends are to be otherwise engaged. On the whole, therefore, it has been thought advisable to postpone the formal uncovering to a future, but not to a very distant day.

MERCANTILE AND MONEY ARTICLE.

FRIDAY EVENING.

THE Customs revenue received to-day is as follows:—

Brandy ...	...	...	£224 17 10
Gin ...	...	...	418 17 2
Rum ...	...	...	603 0 0
All other spirits ...	...	...	57 10 4
Wine ...	...	...	167 14 0
Ale, porter, and beer (in wood)	...	...	31 5 0
——— (in bottle)	...	...	78 7 6
Tobacco and snuff ...	...	...	148 1 6
Cigars ...	...	...	23 1 0
Tea ...	...	...	78 3 3
Coffee and chicory ...	...	...	22 6 2
Sugar, unrefined ...	...	...	75 0 0
Dried fruits ...	...	...	122 18 11
Ad valorem ...	...	...	416 18 9
Package charge ...	...	...	156 1 0
Total ...	...	...	£2628 2 1

The Colonial Treasurer to-day in the Assembly declined to state the rate of interest to be paid to the Australian Mutual Provident Society for the loan of £50,000. It is currently reported that 7 per cent. is the consideration. We understand also that the Government have secured a loan of £100,000 from the Savings' Bank on the same terms.

The Southern Escorts arrived during the week with the following quantities of gold:—Braidwood, 1807 oz, 13 dwts. 11 grs.; Kiandra, 202 oz. 4 dwts. 14 grs.; Young, 484 oz. 21 grs.; Adelong, 292 oz. 2 dwts. 3 grs.; Tumut, 57 oz. 7 dwts.; Tumberumba, 231 oz. 17 dwts.; Gundagai, 127 oz. 4 dwts. 12 grs. Total, 3202 oz. 9 dwts. 13 grs.

The quantity of gold received at the Mint for coinage, during the week ending 3rd instant, was 17,149 oz. The amount of coin issued during the same period, 24,000 sovereigns.

The tendency to accept lower rates exhibited in the stock and share market last week has induced buyers to come forward more freely during the present one, and some of the brokers report having done an unusual amount of business. In most cases prices show a slight reduction, but it must be remembered that nearly all the sales are ex-dividend. The largest number of transactions have been in bank shares, which continue most in request for investments. Commercials have been done at £53 10s., but the sale is considered a forced one, and not a fair quotation, especially as they have since brought £55. Joint Stocks were placed at £15 15s. and £15 10s., closing firm at the latter. Bank of New South Wales opened at £45 and touched £43, at which rate a parcel has been placed. They afterwards rallied to £44, and closed at that figure. City Bank shares have been bought freely, at £11 and £11 2s. 6d. There are buyers at the latter rate. In Steam shares, the only transactions have been in A. S. N. Company's, for which early in the week £15 10s. cum-dividend was accepted, but since the half-yearly meeting they have commanded £16 10s.; Clarence and Richmond are offering at £3 5s. For Insurance shares there is no demand. A parcel of Generals, at 30s. is the only sale noted. Gaslight are very firm, and have brought £11 15s. Wallsend coal have advanced £4 10s. ex-dividend, and Hartley Kerosene have been sold at late rates. Debentures are not offering very freely. The only transactions have been Treasury bills, at par.; and New Zealand Government, at 100½.

The following table will show the closing prices of our securities, as well as the rate at which sales have been made during the week:—

Capital	Companies.	Paid up Share.	Closing Prices.	Business Done.
£	Banks.			
900,000	Australasia	£40	72 ...	...
400,000	Commercial	£25	53½, 55	55½, 55
300,000	Eng. Scot. and Aust.	£20	19 ...	...
600,000	Joint Stock	£10	15½ to 15¾	15¾, 15½
1,000,000	London Chartered ...	£20	22 to 23	...
1,000,000	Oriental	£25	51 to 53	...
1,250,000	Union	£25	50¼ ...	...
1,000,000	New South Wales ...	£20	44 ...	44, 43
500,000	New Zealand	£10	17½ to 18	...
2,000,000	Agra & Masterman	£25	... ...	...
200,000	City Bank	£10	11 to 11¼	11, 11¼
	Steam.			
320,000	Australasian.....	£20	17 to 17¼	16¾ x di; 15¾ [o. div.
62,000	Clarence & Richmond	£10	3¼ ...	...
85,000	Hunter River	£10	11 to 11¼	...
50,000	Illawarra	£5	3¼ to 3¾	...
60,000	Queensland	£10	5 to 4 ...	...
	Insurance.			
600,000	General Marine	30/	1¼ ...	1¼ ...
150,000	N. S. W. Marine.....	£2	3¼ ...	...
250,000	Sydney Fire & Marine	£2	2 ...	...
500,000	Pacific Fire and Marine.....	£2	3¼ ...	...
500,000	United Fire and Marine.....	£1	¼, 16/ ...	...
1,000,000	Southern	£1	1¼ ...	...
	Miscellaneous.			
300,000	Gas Light	£6	11 to 12	11¾ ...
50,000	Sydney Exchange ...	£10	2¼ ...	...
50,000	Pyrmont Bridge	£5	2¼ ...	...
100,000	Wallsend Coal	£10	4 to 5	4¾ x div.
60,000	Waratah Coal	£50	4 to 4¼	...
20,000	Mornya	£3	... ...	...
	Ditto	£5	... ...	...
100,000	Peak Downs Copper	£1	16/ ...	...
60,000	Cadiangullong	£1	... ...	...
	Ditto	£1	... ...	...
30,000	Hartley Kerosene Oil and Paraffine	£1	2¾ ...	2¾
40,000	Glenmire Gold Mining	£2	1¼ ...	...
60,000	Fitzroy Iron.....	£5	... ...	...
50,400	Western Kerosene Oil	£1	... ...	...
	Ditto Pref.....	20/	... ...	...
	Bulli Coal Company Debentures.		6 to 6¼	...
	Government due in 1866, 1871, 1873, 1874, 1876, 1888, 1891, and 1892 ...	£	92¼ to 98	...
	Interminable	100	90 ...	...
	Treasury Bills 6 p. c.	100	100 ...	100
	Queensland Govt. ...	100	100 to 101	...
	A. S. N. Co., due in 1866, and 1869 ...	100	100 to 101	...
	City of Sydney.....	100	95 ...	...
	Pyrmont Bridge Co., due in 1869	100	100 ...	...
	Col. Sugar Refining Co., due from 1863, to 1868.....	100	100 ...	...
	New Zealand Government, 8 per cent.....	100	100¼	100¼

To-day's *Gazette* contains the following quarterly return, relative to the business in this colony of the Oriental Bank Corporation and the Bank of Australasia, from the 1st April to 30th June, 1866:—

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.—Liabilities: Notes in circulation not bearing interest, £58,729; bills in circulation, not bearing interest, £4538 5s. 6d.; balances due to other banks and branches, £269,438 5s. 6d.; deposits, not bearing interest, £167,035 0s. 4d.; ditto, bearing interest, £480,547 0s. 2d.; total amount of liabilities, £960,287 11s. 6d. Assets: Coined gold and silver, and other coined metals, £127,812 17s. 4d.; gold and silver in bullion or bars, £24,100 12s. 6d.; landed property, £25,668 1s. 8d.; notes and bills of other banks, £3283; balances due from other banks and branches, £212,871 0s. 4d.; amount of all debts due to the bank, including notes, bills of exchange, and all stock and funded debts of every description, excepting notes, bills, and balances due to the said bank from other banks, £769,873 17s. 6d.; total amount of assets, £1,163,518 9s. 4d. Amount of the capital stock paid up to this date, £1,500,000; rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum; amount of the last dividend declared, £75,000; amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £444,000.

BANK OF AUSTRALASIA.—Liabilities: Notes in circulation, not bearing interest, £36,492; bills in circulation, not bearing interest, £6986 3s. 10d.; deposits, not bearing interest, £259,412 8s. 6d.; bearing interest, £242,720 17s. 5d.; total of liabilities, £545,611 9s. 9d. Assets: Coined gold and silver and other coined metals, £105,035 9s. 1d.; landed property, £31,000; notes and bills of other banks, £1,711 17s. 9d; amount of all debts due to the bank, including notes, bills of exchange, and all stock and funded debts of every description, excepting notes, bills, and balances due to the said bank from other banks, £600,715 17s 9d.; total amount of assets, £738,463 4s. 7d. Amount of capital stock paid up at this date, £1,200,000; rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 6 per cent., and bonus of 8 per cent., 14 per cent. per annum; amount of the last dividend declared, £78,750; amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £370,000 9s. 3d.

Bonded stocks on hand, August 3, 1866:—Rum, West Indian, 151,975 gallons—East Indian, 302 gallons; foreign, 3501 gallons; all other spirits, 7168 gallons; brandy, 193,340 gallons; geneva, 87,278 gallons; whisky, 15,268 gallons; liqueurs, 9352 gallons; gin, 5149 gallons; wine, 239,900 gallons; tobacco, manufactured, 838,325 lbs.; leaf, 51,073 lbs.; cigars, 17,948 lbs.; snuff, 748 lbs.; sugar, 1328 tons; coffee, 219 tons; tea, 893,640 lbs.; chicory, 75,711 lbs.; opium, 6376 lbs.

Messrs. Richardson and Wrench report having sold the Tenterfield station, New England district, with 29,000 sheep, at 13s. 6d. per head; 2400 cattle, at £2 per head; 320 acres purchased land, £1 per acre, stores, implements, &c., to be taken at a valuation; estimated purchase money, £25,755; purchasers, Messrs. J. and W. Christian. They also sold three half-acre allotments in the town of Queanbeyan, for £341; and allotments of land, Brougham-street, Woolloomooloo, at £7 per foot.

The produce auctioneers held their usual weekly sales of hides, tallow, &c., this morning, and offered 2599 hides, 298 casks of tallow, and sundries. The absence of orders from the neighbouring colonies for tallow caused the sales to pass off very flatly, particularly for finer samples, on which in some cases a reduction of from £3 to £4 was submitted to. On station or inferior the decline was equal to about £2 on last week's rates. Nearly half the quantity offered was passed, besides which one auctioneer withdrew his entire catalogue. Present rates do not at all approximate to English prices, and unless the colonial demand is sufficient to keep the market clear a further decline of £3 or £4 will have to be submitted to. Hides, except good heavy, were dull of sale, owing to the scarcity of freight and consequent high rates asked by vessels now on the berth for London. 2599 hides were offered, 2268 were sold at 14s. to 16s. 6d. for prime heavy, 10s. to 13s. 2d. for medium to good, inferior from 5s. upwards; calfskin, 3s. 3d. to 5s. 9d. Out of 2988 casks of tallow, 168 were placed, at the following rates; mutton, £46; strong beef, £43 15s. to £46 15s.; inferior and station £30 to £40 5s.

Messrs. Irwin and Turner offered 81 casks of tallow and 1157 hides, and sold 66 casks tallow, 1130 hides. The following prices were realised:—Tallow, £34 to £44; hides, 8s 6d to 16s; calfskins, 3s 3d to 5s 9d. The principal lots were 841 hides at 13s 2d; 169 ditto at 14s, 132 ditto at 13s 3d.

Mr. J. Graham catalogued 104 casks tallow, and sold 61 casks beef at £33 to £46 5s. The most noticeable lots were—10 casks, 11, at £45; 21 casks, 11, at £35 2s 6d. 364 hides were placed—92 Newington's at 14s 6d, 115 at 15s, and a lot of inferior at 9s 9d.

Messrs. Mort and Co. sold 41 casks of tallow, and passed 72 casks; 509 hides were also disposed of. Prices ruled thus:—Mutton tallow, £46; beef ditto, £35 to £35. Hides, 5s to 16s 6d. The latter price for a parcel of 120, marked Tin; a lot of 144 brought 14s 6d. Hair, 10d.

Trade during the week has been extremely limited; in fact, hardly a sale is effected, except forced ones, and then terms are usually withheld. Those who want goods prefer awaiting the mail news, which, it is hoped, will restore confidence and enliven business.

BREADSTUFFS are nominally unaltered. Very few sales have been made except for trade purposes. A parcel of Chilian was offered yesterday and withdrawn, and only some damaged wheat was quitted at 4s. 1d. to 4s. 2d., a good price considering the article. There have been no foreign arrivals during the week, and our present stocks are not at all excessive. The Californian wheat ex Hercules sales noticed here; her mainsail has already changed hands, and the barley and oats goes to Melbourne to-morrow per Blackbird. The damaged portion of the Oriana's cargo of flour is advertised for sale early next week.

SUGARS have been rendered easier by the tone of Melbourne advices and the probability of shortly having the new crop in the market. The cargo of Mauritius ex Ziska will be offered at auction on Tuesday. It contains some fine samples of counters, and ought to fairly test the state of the market.

TEAS are rather inactive; the balance of The Cedars' cargo was offered by public sale, on Wednesday, and a few lines of low congous only were disposed of.

COFFEE.—The market continues bare of Java and Manilla coffee, a shipment of which would meet with a ready sale at full rates. Plantation is steady at 11d. to 11½d. for parcels.

LIQUORS have a downward tendency, and it is rather difficult to effect sales in the present position of the market. Ales, in glass and wood, are difficult to move, and best brands of the latter cannot be quoted above £7. A good second-class brand has been offered as low as £6 5s. There is no alteration to notice in porter, for which only a limited demand exists. Brandies are difficult to place unless in small quantities. Pale in bulk is hardly so firm: Otard's pale at auction brought only 7s. 4d.; United Vineyard, 7s. Hennessy's case is better held. Lower prices have also been accepted for dark in wood. Whisky in bulk is a shade lower; Meehan's was sold under the hammer on Tuesday at 4s. 11d; small sales of Preston's have been made at last week's prices. Genevas, according to recent sales, have declined about 6d. per case; our present stocks are not too heavy, and a further reduction in price is not looked for. Wines are dull; four diamond port at auction brought only 20s. per case; and fair sherries, 4s. to 5s. 9d. in bond. Gin is unaltered.

There is little else to notice, nor is it probable that there will be until the Ellora's news is to hand.

COMMERCIAL.

STOCK AND SHARE CIRCULARS.

BARTON AND MELHADO.—The share market continues inactive, and prices of most of our securities have a downward tendency. City Bank shares are 2s per share lower; Commercial Bank, 30s per share; Bank of New South Wales, 20s per share; and Australian Joint Stock Bank, 5s per share. Our sales are—Australian Joint Stock Bank, 5s per share. Our sales are—Australian City Bank, £11 per share, ex div.; Commercial Bank, £53 10s per share, ex div. The following meetings have been held during the week:—Australian Joint Stock Bank, 30th July: Dividend and bonus, 15 per cent. per annum; net profits for the half-year, £46,051 4s 1d; reserved fund increased by £2417 11s, and with the premiums paid on new shares, now amounts to £84,674 12s; balance of undivided profits carried to next half-year, £3776 16s 11d. City Bank, 30th July: Dividend, 8 per cent. per annum; net profits for the half-year, £15,335 7s 9d; reserve fund increased by £3000, and now amounts to £15,000; balance of undivided profit, £333 7s 9d. Australasian Steam, 31st July: The result of the company's operations for the half-year shew an excess of earnings over expenditure of £10,329 2s 1d; dividend, 6 per cent. per annum; the insurance account was increased by £9168 13s 6d, and amounts to £42,305 18s 6d, but against this there is the loss of the steamer Cawarra to be provided for. Clarence and Richmond River Steam, 31st July 30th: No dividend. The whole of the earnings for the past half-year have been absorbed owing to the heavy expenditure for repairs, and the amount to the debit of profit and loss account increased to the extent of £2765 19s. The loss of the Cirara, less the amount at credit of insurance account written off, swells the amount to the debit of profit and loss to £19,104 7s 3d. Newcastle Wallsend Coal, 30th July: Dividend 4 per cent. per annum; net profits for half-year after writing off £2939 8s from rolling-stock, &c., amounted to £2224 5s 8d; £200 was carried to the reserve fund, and the balance at the credit of profit and loss was £24 5s 8d. Pyrmont Bridge, 30th July: Dividend 3 per cent. per annum. Peak Downs Copper: The quantity of copper forwarded during the half-year was 204 tons, and on hand on the 30th June, 220 tons. The difficulty with regard to carriage prevents the directors from being in a position to declare a dividend, but their attention is turned to the shorter line, via Broad Sound, and it is hoped that this difficulty will soon be overcome. Hartley Kerosene Oil Company, 30th July: Resolved to increase the capital of the company to £60,000 by the issue of new shares; £5000 worth of oil and shale has been conveyed to Sydney, and nearly the whole sold.—August 3rd.

LENNON AND CAPE.—We report a busy week in our share market, and a large amount of capital has been invested through us. In Bank New South Wales we have placed a fair parcel at £45, and a large lot at £43, our sales to day being at £44 for a fair parcel. In Commercials, we report a sale at £55 ex dividend; in Joint Stocks, at £15 10s ex dividend; in City Banks, at £11 2s 6d ex dividend; in Australasian Steams, we sold a fair parcel prior to the meeting at £15 10s cum dividend; Australian Gas-light shares have realised £11 15s; New South Wales Treasury bills, 18s and interest; and New Zealand Government 8 per cent., at 100½, and interest. The following companies have held their half-yearly meetings during the week:—Australian Joint Stock Bank, dividend 15 per cent. per annum; City Bank, 8 ditto; Australasian Steam, 6 ditto; Clarence Steam, no dividend; Wallsend Coal Company, dividend 4 per cent. per annum; Pyrmont Bridge, 6 ditto. Peak Downs Copper, Hartley Kerosene, Western Kerosene, Bergalia Reef, progress reports were submitted.—August 3rd.

J. MULLINS.—There is rather more inquiry in the share market this week, although my transactions are not to any great amount. Bank of New South Wales shares have declined £1, Commercial Bank shares £1 10s, and City Bank shares 5s per share. The half-yearly report of the Australasian Steam Company has produced an impression that its affairs are on the turn, and sales have been made at an improvement of £1 2s per share. I have also placed Wallsend Coal shares at an advance on last week. My sales this week have been: Australian Joint Stock Bank shares, at £15 15s ex div.; City Bank shares, at £11 ex div.; Australasian Steam shares, at £16 10s ex div.; Australian General Assurance shares, at £1 10; Wallsend Coal shares, at £4 10s ex div.; Hartley Kerosene shares, at £2 18s; New Zealand Government debentures, at 100½ and interest.—August 3rd.

W. CHATFIELD.—The share market continues inactive, and stock generally has a downward tendency. Transactions have been confined chiefly to Bank stock. Bank of New South Wales shares have declined considerably from last week's quotations. Commercials are scarce. I notice sales at £55 10s, ex div. City Banks have been sold at 12½ per share under former sales. Steam companies' shares are not in demand. Australasian Steam are not so firm, notwithstanding the favourable report submitted to the shareholders at the half-yearly meeting held during the week. Insurance shares are dull of sale; I have no transactions to notice. Mining stock is almost unsaleable. I notice sale of Hartley Kerosene Oil Company's shares at £2 15s. No change in debentures; my sales have only been—City Bank, at £11; Bank of New South Wales, at £44.—August 3rd.

PRODUCE, STOCK, AND STATION CIRCULARS.

MORT AND CO.—Wool: In this market we have little or nothing to report. The same indifference that has characterised the public sales for some weeks past was noticeable again to-day. Out of a catalogue of 149 bales we parcel more than one-half. The only parcel worthy of remark was the MR wool—15 bales beautifully scoured—which sold, the 2 bales of lambswool at 24d, 11 bales first and seconds at 24½d, and the 2 bales of thirds and pieces at 15d. Sheepskins: Our supply was very limited. Prices showed no falling off, and ranged to-day at from 5½d to 8d. Tallow: There has been a further fall of about £4 per ton this week. We placed 41 casks at from £33 10s to £35, and £16 for mutton, which was the highest figure for mutton this day, other parcels having been sold at £45 15s and £44. The trade were the only buyers, and we may now begin to look for operations for the English market. Hides: We quitted over 1600 hides to-day. Prices without alteration; best heavy worth about 2¾d. We quitted several parcels, averaging about 61 lbs., at from 13s to 14s 6d. One lot of extra heavy we sold at 15s 6d. Hair: A lot at 10d per lb.

Produce Sale.—Wool: Mixed, 11b, 1 pocket at 9¾d; locks and pieces, JMK, 5 bales at 4d; scoured, RM, lambs—2 at 22d, 11 at 14¾d, piece, 2 at 15d; grease, HxJ, 12 at 7½d; locks, HxJ, 1 at 5¾d; scoured, D&NC, 14 at 18d; ditto, HxJ, 3 at 17d; ditto, DC hides, 1 at 16¾d; mixed, HD, 1 pocket at 23¾d; handwashed, WH, 1 bale at 16¾d; ditto, D in diamond, 1 pocket at 12d; clippings, triangle, 2 bales at 6¾d; handwashed, JR over S, 1 at 11d; ditto, HR over P, 1 at 12d. Sheepsk

TELEGRAPHIC MESSAGES.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.]

GLEN INNES.

FRIDAY, 6 p.m.

A LARGE and influential meeting was held here on Wednesday to co-operate with the Inverel meeting on the land question.

BRISBANE.

FRIDAY.

At the Ipswich nomination, yesterday, Mr. G. M. Reed had the show of hands, and Mr. Pring demanded a poll. The election takes place to-morrow.

The steamer Hero, for Batavia, sails to-morrow full of passengers, and takes 1250 sovereigns.

Business dull.

The Florence Irving (s.) sailed for Sydney yesterday. The Yarra Yarra (s.) arrived to-day.

MELBOURNE.

FRIDAY, 8 p.m.

Business has been very dull to-day. Maize was sold at 5s.

Best brands of kerosene quoted at 4s. 9d.

Ration sugar sold at £27 10s.

Filson, Caughey, and Dalziel have stopped payment. Liabilities £20,000.

Brown and Reid's estate is assigned to Henty and Henty.

ARRIVED.—Tararua, from Wellington; South Australian, from Otago.

ADELAIDE.

FRIDAY, 8 p.m.

The Lancashire Bellringers are to chime the Albert Bells on Monday next.

The rain-fall for July was less by two inches than that of the same month last year.

The camels imported by Mr. Elder are answering admirably for the carriage of wool from the far north to Port Augusta.

Rain is still badly wanted in the far North.

The corn market is very flat. Quotations are for wheat, 5s. 6d.; flour, £13 10s. to £15; bran, 1s. 4d. to 1s. 5d.

The cattle ex Lady Darling, from Gladstone, realised, to day, an average of £14 per head.

MINISTERIAL VISIT TO PARRAMATTA.

THE LUNATIC ASYLUM.

THE Colonial Secretary (Mr. Parkes) and the Minister for Lands (Mr. Wilson) visited Parramatta yesterday, and, in company with the Minister for Works (Mr. Byrnes), who resides in Parramatta, inspected the Lunatic Asylum and the gaol of that town. The two former left Sydney by the 9 o'clock train, and on their arrival at Parramatta, where they were met by Mr. Byrnes, they proceeded at once to the asylum, the scene of the tragical occurrence which recently resulted in the death of the medical superintendent, Dr. Greenup.

The ministerial party first visited the office, where Mr. Parkes made inquiries regarding the officers employed in the establishment, their names, duties, &c., together with the number of patients at present in the asylum. It appeared from the answers to the questions put by Mr. Parkes that there were in the asylum yesterday 576 patients, including 45 invalids in the branch establishment, or hospital, in Macquarie street. These were made up of 310 males and 212 females. Of the males, there were 60 British and 259 colonial; and of the females, 9 British and 203 colonial, but nineteen of these—two British and seventeen colonial—were invalids, sent to the asylum for treatment, and not considered as lunatics in the ordinary sense of the term. With reference to the officers, the medical superintendent, Dr. Walter Brown, goes down to the establishment between 9 and 10 o'clock every morning, visits the whole of the patients, prescribes for any who require medicine, makes entries of anything requiring notice, and so furnishes the materials for his monthly report to the Government. This visit occupies a considerable portion of the forenoon, and he pays a second visit to the asylum in the afternoon. Mr. E. H. Statham, the storekeeper and manager, has held the offices which he now holds during the last nineteen years. It appeared that his duties are to receive and serve out the rations, to enter the quantities received and consumed in books kept for the purpose, and, in the absence of the Superintendent, to have the control of the establishment. He is assisted in his duties by the master-attendant (Mr. Prior), whose duty it is to look after the patients, to see that they are washed every morning, and that their dormitories are kept clean; also, to report any change visible in the health of the patients, or in their mental state. These duties are performed for the female patients by the matron, Mrs. Burn, who was appointed on the 1st of June, 1865. There are also a clerk to assist the storekeeper and manager, and a dispenser to assist the medical superintendent. The branch establishment in Macquarie-street is in charge of a head wardsman, and the above mentioned officers are assisted by twenty-five attendants, including a cook, the infirmary superintendent, and the night watchman. One night watchman is stationed in the ward for criminal lunatics, another in the yard for general (male) lunatics, and another in the infirmary. The gardener is also called as an assistant as occasion requires.

The party then proceeded to inspect the establishment in every part, commencing with the dormitory for the general male lunatics. The bedding was very clean, under the vigorous physical exertion of a lunatic, named Green—the *hangman* under the *old régime*, whose ribboned unmentionables pointed him out as a person of distinction,—who was energetically operating upon the floor with a mop. The floor and dormitory generally were a clean, comfortable appearance. The cookhouse and washhouse were next visited, and these were not in such a satisfactory state as could have been desired. The building, certainly, is old, in a dilapidated state, and utterly unfit for the purpose to which it is applied, and all the patching that could be done would leave it in an unsatisfactory state; but a little more tact and enforcement of discipline, in conjunction with a few simple appliances, might effect an improvement in both. The large yard, in which the general male lunatics are confined, was next visited, and here almost every form of mental disease was encountered. The patients appeared for the most part to be quite harmless, and many were evidently idiotic. Some were childish, and in the presence of visitors regarded the adornments of their dress—gaudy coloured ribbons—with much satisfaction. Others—but their numbers were very few—stood aloof from the visitors, or sat with scowling faces round by the walls of the yard. The party then proceeded to the inside yard, where the criminal lunatics were confined. Mr. Parkes here made inquiries in reference to the late fatal affray when a criminal lunatic, named Cameron, stabbed Dr. Greenup with a pair of scissors. It was stated that the key of the cell in which some of the stores were kept, was left in the pocket of a coat, which coat was yesterday hanging at the cell door; that he must have entered the cell by means of this key, and extracted the scissors, locked the door, and replaced the key. This, it seems, was the only way by which he could have possessed himself of the scissors. Cameron is at present confined in a cell, and in irons, and he is almost the only lunatic in the asylum whom it is necessary to confine in that way. The party went to the cell door, and, in answer to Mr. Parkes, Cameron said he made the attack upon Dr. Greenup because he and some other doctors were experimenting upon him with lancets. In answer to a question as to whether he had any ill-will to Dr. Greenup, Cameron said, "Oh, no, sir; but I thought it better to make an attack upon him than upon a prisoner or warder, because he was the head of the asylum, and by attacking him it would cause some excitement outside." Cameron further said that Dr. Greenup had a license from the University to come there and experiment upon him; and he asked Mr. Parkes how he would like to be in there, being continually punished for the amusement of others? In answer to another question, he said his name was James Cameron, but immediately afterwards admitted that his real name was Gabbigan. As soon as the party had left this wing and returned to the yard around the wall of which the criminal lunatics were ranged, a lunatic, who gained a good deal of notoriety a few years since by starting a paper called the *Index*,—the avowed object of which was to attack the Masonic body,—came up and spoke to Mr. Parkes. This man's name is Radley,—Dr. Radley he calls himself,—and it will be remembered that the office in which the *Index* was printed was set on fire, and that, during the sitting of the inquest, in reference to this fire, Radley, who had loaned his plant for a large amount, absconded. A considerable time afterwards he was apprehended in Victoria, brought to Sydney, tried, and convicted of setting his office on fire. He was sentenced to five years' imprisonment, but shortly after receiving sentence he was transferred to this asylum as a lunatic. On being questioned as to his criminality, he said he was the victim of the Freemasons. He then availed himself of the opportunity to prove (to his own satisfaction) that the Freemasons could not be Christians, and we give his argument as a specimen of the reasoning of a lunatic. "The Word of God says, 'thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself;' but the Freemasons have organised a brotherhood, and they love only those who are included in that brotherhood; therefore they cannot be Christians." Mr. Radley also desired to prove to the Ministers from the same book that the Freemasons could not be honest; but other men—and every one with a grievance—came crowding round, and hence he could not get an audience. One of the most general developments of insanity in those so afflicted is in the belief that they are perfectly sane; and hence almost every man who spoke to the Ministers yesterday expressed the strongest possible belief in his own sanity, and endeavoured to extract promises that they (the Ministers) would use their influence in order to obtain his release from the asylum. Several of these men, to all appearances, were perfectly sane. One named Robert Johnson, tried by the late Mr. Justice Wise, at Maitland, in April, 1864, another, Charles Johnson, and a third named Kelly, tried in April of last year, at Bathurst, spoke of their respective cases as clearly and as reasonably as any sane man would do.

Returning to the yard of the non-criminal class, a man named Withers, who had been an inmate of the asylum seventeen years, attracted a good deal of attention by exhibiting to the Ministers an engraving in the *Illustrated London News* representing a large hand new Lunatic Asylum, recently opened in the vicinity of London; and it was almost impossible not to feel amused with his comments on the asylum in which he was confined, contrasting it, as he did, with the representation of the English asylum which he held in his hand. The bath rooms, remaining dormitories, and hospital were all in turn visited and inspected. In the latter lay the poor creature who recently made an attempt upon his own life by cutting his throat. Here also was another who cannot be induced to wear any clothing except a shirt, and who spends the whole of his time on his hands and knees on his bed. While witnessing and meditating on such scenes the well known couplet recurs to one's memory:

O! where on earth in mercy shall we find
A wreck sad as the ruins of the human mind!

The Ministers next visited the garden, where convalescent patients and those who have proved to be quite harmless, are confined. This is by far the most pleasant part of this essentially wretched asylum. Trees and flowers are here planted; a number of seats have been fixed up for the convenience of the patients, and several cages containing birds of brilliant plumage are suspended from the trees. Shortly after Mr. Parkes took office he caused a number of birds, together with a bagatelle board, checsmen, draughts, some instruments of music, and other appliances for amusement to be furnished to the asylum, with the hope that the lunatics might be induced to amuse themselves. It was thought that many of the patients would feel an interest in feeding and tending the birds, but unfortunately they take very little interest in them, and therefore the little songsters, parrots, &c., are fed almost exclusively by the officers of the establishment. Moreover, the other sources of amusement are almost entirely neglected by those for whose benefit they were introduced.

The party finally looked through that part of the asylum devoted to the female patients, which in almost every respect was in a more satisfactory condition than that in which the males are confined. This circumstance is in a great measure attributable to the fact that the buildings for the females are of a more recent date than those for the males, they are better adapted to the purpose of an asylum, and are in a much better state of repair. The female patients appeared to be as comfortable as could be expected; they were very quiet, and evidently under efficient supervision. In this department were a number of young girls and children, all of whom are idiots or imbeciles. They take but little notice of the beautiful caged songsters which have been placed within reach with a view to divert their attention; but true to the instincts of female childhood, they appeared to derive much gratification from the possession of well-dressed dolls. The kitchen and hospital were clean and well ordered. In the latter ward were two infants above two years of age, who were being nursed by their mothers. One appeared to be sickly; but the other—a fine little curly-headed fellow—appeared to revel in all the joyous abandon of innocent childhood. In giving him birth his mother lost her reason, and she has never quite recovered from the confusion which then reigned in her *mental organization*; but she has very much improved, and her case, we understand, has been brought under the consideration of the Board with a view to her discharge from the asylum as early as possible compatible with her safety. We may mention that a new building, to serve the purpose of a laundry, is now being put up to afford additional facilities to the female patients.

In concluding our notice of the Ministerial visit of inspection to the Lunatic Asylum we may mention that the Government has recently purchased a farm in the immediate vicinity of the asylum, for the purpose of employing the patients in agricultural and horticultural pursuits; but until the present crazy old buildings are replaced by a new and suitable asylum, any temporary improvement in the way of employment for the afflicted inmates will be of little avail. At present the medical officer of the establishment cannot do justice to the patients under his charge, nor credit to himself. Parliament has already voted a large sum of money for the erection of a new asylum, and judging from the expressions of the members of the Government who were at Parramatta yesterday, the building would be shortly commenced if money could be obtained by loan at a reasonable rate of interest.

THE GAOL.

On leaving the Lunatic Asylum the Ministerial party drove over to the gaol, and made a hasty inspection. Brief as was the inspection, however, it was sufficient to enable the visitors to see that the establishment was in a high state of discipline—a circumstance which reflects much credit upon the principal gaoler, Mr. Hussey. The walls, floors, and stone steps of the various wards were spotlessly clean, as were also the cells, beds, and bedding. There were 236 prisoners (all males) in the gaol at the time of the visit, and nearly all the "hard labour" men were profitably employed in stone cutting. On one side of the large yard a commodious smithy is about being completed, and over it two large rooms for joiners and carpenters, each being 40 feet by 15. The stone work of the walls of these workshops is beautifully done, fully equal to any of the plain stone work in the large buildings of the city; and all the iron work was wrought and fitted in the gaol by prisoners. A guard-room, store-room, and hospital, are now being erected, of solid stone walls, on the side of the yard opposite the workshops, and a large quantity of stone is being prepared for the erection of an additional wing, which will be commenced as soon as the buildings now in hand are completed. We should mention that the prisoners, with one exception, have learnt all they know of stone-cutting since their incarceration in the gaol.

Having inspected the various parts of the gaol, and obtained information respecting the progress of the works in hand, the conduct of the prisoners, &c., the Ministerial party drove to the residence of the Minister for Works, and were entertained at luncheon, proceeding immediately afterwards to the railway station to return by special train to Sydney. On arrival at Haslem's Creek the party alighted in order to view the

HASLEM'S CREEK CEMETERY.

This cemetery, or the ground set apart for the purpose, has a special interest attaching to it at present, in consequence of the bill now before Parliament—and which is in a fair way of becoming law—for closing the burial grounds within the City of Sydney. The ground is 200 acres in extent, and was purchased by the Government for the sum of £2000. It has been fenced in by a wire fencing at the expense of the Government, and a live fence of sweet brier on three sides of the ground, and of another plant on the side which abuts on the railway, has been planted, and a man in the pay of the Government is constantly employed in tending these fences. A branch line of railway moreover, has been constructed to the centre of the ground. A portion of the ground is covered with a thick growth of brushwood, but there is very little heavy timber on it. The centre of the ground, eight acres in extent, which happens to be the highest portion of the land, has been cleared by the Government, the object being to make it over to the different denominations, in order that they might erect mortuary chapels thereon.

The Ministers having walked over the ground prepared for the reception of the city's dead in the future, re-entered the carriage, and arrived in due course at Sydney without further incident.

THE GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

THE following notifications appear in yesterday's *Government Gazette*.

APPOINTMENTS.—Messrs. James Samuels, jun., Thomas Fanning, Angus M'Millan, George Brunt, and J. E. Feilsier, to be trustees of the land at Dubbo which has been dedicated to purposes of public recreation and town pasturage; Mr. J. G. M. Sharpe to be a licensed surveyor.

PARIS EXHIBITION.—Mr. Edward Levi Montefiore has been appointed Resident Commissioner in Paris to represent New South Wales at the International Exhibition of 1867.

CLERK OF PETTY SESSIONS ACT.—Mr. George Plunkett Roen, police magistrate at Eden, has been empowered to exercise at Eden and at Panbula the special powers authorised to be given to police magistrates by the above Act.

GRAFTON.—By proclamation, a Court of Quarter Sessions is directed to be held at Grafton, on Tuesday, 28th instant, instead of Thursday, 9th instant.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

MR. WOOLLER.—At his Repository, at 11 o'clock, Horses, Carts, Drays, Harness.

MESSRS. MARTIN AND CO.—At their Bazaar, at 11 o'clock, Horses, Vehicles, Harness.

MR. TINDALE.—At Beardmore and Stokes' Yards, at 11 o'clock, Fat Sheep.

MR. MEARES.—At his Depot, at 11 o'clock, Fat Sheep.

MESSRS. BEARDMORE AND STOKES.—At their Depot, at 10 o'clock, Fat Bullocks.

MR. COCKBURN.—At 636, George-street South, at 11 o'clock, Household Furniture, Sewing-machine, Horse, Dogcart, Harness.

MESSRS. BRADLEY AND NEWTON.—At their Rooms, at 11 o'clock, Household Furniture, Bohemian Glassware, Engravings, Wine, Beer, &c.

MESSRS. A. MOORE AND CO.—At their Mart, at 11 o'clock, Clothing, Watches, Boots and Shoes.

COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT TO MR. JOHN DEANE, OF PALMAIN.—This affair came off with great *éclat* on Thursday evening, in the School of Arts, and was the means of bringing together a large audience to support the *beneficiare*. The dramatic part of the entertainment was gone through with great ability, and was loudly applauded, as it deserved to be. In the interludes between the parts Herr Sipp played on the pianoforte, with exquisite taste, two pieces, namely, "Souvenir de Verdi," being a selection from the best known airs in the opera of "Il Trovatore," and the "Carnival de Venise." Both being encored, the performer substituted, in the one case his own arrangement of "Dear Mother, I've come Home to Die," and in the other, the "Last Rose of Summer," with variations. The glees and solos by the members of St. Mary's Literary Institute were very effectively sung. An instrumental trio (a sonata by Haydn) for piano violin and violoncello, by Herr Sipp and the Messrs. Deane, was an admirable performance, in fact it might be regarded as the musical gem of the programme. It is gratifying to be able to state that the entertainment was a thorough success in every sense of the word.

A WELCOME LITTLE VISITOR.—A small bird has recently made its appearance at Amherst. It is said to perform wonders among the pests that periodically infest and destroy gardens. The *Tulbot Leader* gives the following description of the little stranger:—"The bird is smaller than the common or colonial wren, has a fine plumage, the breast is of a pale salmon colour, it has greenish bronzed wings and back, and a yellowish circle round the eyes."

SYDNEY BURIAL GROUNDS BILL.

To the Editor of the Herald.

SIR,—As a member who studies to avoid wasting the public time, and consequently your columns, by any irrelevant or prolix addition to the debates, allow me to notice the omission from your reports of the more important of my remarks on the above bill.

As the object of this bill is solely to improve the sanatory condition of Sydney, I reminded Mr. Cowper and the House of a bill which that gentleman had laid on the table at the close of last session, which would promote in a fiftyfold greater degree that most imperative object, by promoting a general drainage, and thus removing the numberless cesspools and their disgusting overflow into almost every open street; thus literally murdering half the infants of Sydney before they attain their fifth year, and so much impairing the faculties and enjoyment of the surviving inhabitants. I therefore hoped Mr. Cowper would again bring forward his bill this session; and I stated, having heard on good authority, that a rate of two pence in the pound on the portions of the city thus immediately benefited would be sufficient.

I also congratulated the citizens on the vast improvement of their climate since the operation of the Smoke Prevention Act, but added that the furnace of the Sugar Works, the Mint, and another chimney near the Railway Terminus, needed further attention.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,
LEOPOLD FANE DE SALIS.

To the Editor of the Herald.

SIR,—Mr. Eagar, the Colonial Treasurer, stated that the merchants of Sydney would pocket the 20 per cent., as they had charged the extra duty to their customers on tobacco, &c. I can tell Mr. Eagar that the merchants have been great losers through it. It has proved to me very injurious, as I purchased a large stock of tobacco just before the extra duty was levied, and could not sell in consequence, and have sustained very heavy losses, as I have it still in bond much deteriorated in quality from long keeping—and that we are only demanding money from the Government which never should have been claimed by them.

VICTIM.

July 31.

CLOSING THE TRAFFIC ALONG THE BANKS OF THE MURRAY RIVER.

To the Editor of the Herald.

SIR,—You would greatly oblige us by giving publicity to the following queries:—Whether it is the intention of the New South Wales Government, in stopping the traffic to the junction of the Agulpa Creek and Edward's River, or along the Murray—favouring one free selector more than others by making the adjoining selector's fence a road of a chain wide up to the (Nabob's 150-acre block), and to see posted in large letters "no thoroughfare."

When the adjoining ground was taken up it was believed that the road went on to the junction of the Agulpa Creek, and so on to the Edward; but now, after two years and three months' occupancy, it is very hard that we cannot make use of the creek, as it is the only way off the land when the perennial floods are up, and the remaining part of the year both are dry.

In fact, the only way to go up the river is to cross the Murray and take advantage of our neighbours in Victoria, who leave the right of road along her river frontage without favouring one to the detriment of another.

The same track has been used by our friends the settlers for the last nineteen years.

I am, yours,
A STRUGGLING FREE SELECTOR.
Murray River, junction of the Agulpa Creek, July 27th.

THE "ROWDIES" OF WINDSOR.

To the Editor of the Herald.

SIR,—Perhaps you would allow me space in your columns for a few remarks on a matter of some moment to the residents here.

A number of young and disorderly fellows, who live principally in the outskirts of the town, are in the habit of parading the streets—particularly George-street—almost every night between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock. Persons who may happen to meet the parties in question are subjected to the laugh and jeer of this mob, who, after having walked the street at their pleasure, then congregate—some at one corner, and some at another, always selecting for their rendezvous some place favourable for escape. I, myself, have been an eye-witness of the fact. Females particularly are sure to be the object of their discourse, and whenever an opportunity for insulting such is at hand, you may depend it is never lost sight of by these young scamps. It is to be sincerely hoped that, for the protection of society and the good name of the town, the police authorities will interfere. They well know them, and therefore should make an example of one or two of the worst of the mob, by way of a wholesale warning to the others. Trusting that, for the public good, you will comply with my request.

I am, Sir, yours, &c.,
PATERFAMILIES.

To the Editor of the Herald.

SIR,—I wish to direct attention to the disgraceful state of the (so-called) *pavement* in George-street, fronting the Cathedral, viz., from Bathurst to Druitt streets. There cannot have been much done towards making it a pathway since the foundation of the colony; it occupies a space, I should think (roughly speaking), of about 200 yards; it is—as you are probably aware—in the very centre of the principal thoroughfare of this splendid city, and I say it is a reproach and a scandal for the authorities to have allowed it to remain in its (I was going to say) present state, but that would not be correct, for of late they have bethought themselves that they ought to do *something*, so they have bestrewn it with a light coating of what, I believe, is technically termed blue metal—about the size of eggs (would that they were as smooth) which lie from six inches to a foot asunder, the insterstices between which in rainy weather are filled with a *pleasing* admixture of mud and clay—crowbile it consisted of nothing *worse* than clay, which in dry weather was all very well, but when rain came it required the utmost caution, or you would to a dead certainty (so slippery was it) have your legs taken from under you, bringing your head possibly in violent contact with the adjacent brick wall which encloses the adjoining grave-yard;—so in the former case you run the risk of breaking your neck, in the latter, that of dislocating your ankles. I have frequently seen respectably dressed females in sloppy weather on their way to St. Andrew's Church, on the Sabbath (which this delectable pathway confronts), stand in dismay, evidently bewildered, pondering in their minds how in anything like a decent plight they should be able to reach that sanctuary. As to myself, I have many a time stood in the forenoon of fine weather, debating which evil I should choose, viz., the roadway or the footway, which ended by my taking the former, as being the better of the two. To avoid Scylla I have rushed headlong into Charybdis, to reach the haven of the opposite pavement, at the imminent risk of being run over, for the passing vehicles here are pretty numerous, with the little addenda occasionally of a couple of racing omnibuses in full cry.

Our old friend, Mrs. Malaprop, says—comparisons are odorous; be that as it may, I think in this case we may, with no unfairness, compare the infantile city of Melbourne with this, and I confidently assert that in the whole length and breadth of that place you will not find one pathway like this, leaving alone the main street of the city; a place, let it be remembered, of only about thirty years growth; while this large portion of the magnificent city of Sydney's chief and principal thoroughfare, daily traversed over by hundreds, I may say, thousands of persons,—has remained in nearly its present state for almost three times that period.

Your obedient servant,
R. C.

July 28th.

FREE SELECTION.

To the Editor of the Herald.

SIR,—I often read letters in your columns for and against Free Selection. The other day, I received the enclosed from one of my sons, wherein he refers to Free Selectors—about forty in number in his neighbourhood. If you think it worth mention it is at your service.

Writing on the 23rd from Barragan, he says:—"Our free selectors here have, somehow or other, scratched up a few acres and sown their seed, and have now turned carcass butchers. Our shepherds tell us they got a good fat beast (when they run short) for £2, which is much below the Sydney market price.

I am, yours obediently,
J. R. T."

North Shore, 31st July.

HEAVY FALL OF SNOW.—Monday's *Tumut Times* says:—The appearance of the Bogong mountains, during the past two or three days, has been singularly picturesque, owing to the quantity of snow which caps them, relieved as it is by the dark green foliage on their summits. Viewed from the valley of the Tumut, the sight is not unpleasing, and affords wide scope for the imagination particularly to the lovers of nature in her stern and rugged grandeur.—The Kiandra mailman, it is stated by the same paper, did not arrive in Tumut on Friday till 9 p.m., having been delayed by the heavy snow which for thirty-six miles this way covers the country. Finding it impossible to proceed on the usual track, he was compelled to retrace his steps for a considerable distance and then follow the telegraph line.

RELIEF FUND BALL, under the Patronage of the R. WRECK RELIEF COMMITTEE, Captain HIXSON, of the Naval Brigade.—Mr. W. CLARK begs to inform his pupils and friends that he intends giving a BALL in aid of the above, at his Assembly Rooms, 103, Elizabeth-street, on THURSDAY, 16th instant.

VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY BALL.—A Ball in aid of the Funds of the Volunteer Artillery Band will be held in the Masonic Hall, on TUESDAY, the 21st August next.

Tickets may be obtained from any of the committee; also from Messrs. Reading and Wellbank, Elvy and Co., Maddock, Anderson, and M'Mahon.

Single ticket (lady) .. .. .. 10s. 6d.
Ditto ditto (gentleman) .. .. .. 15s. 0d.
Double ditto, to admit lady and gentleman 21s. 0d.
Sergeant-major F. FAHEY, Hon. Treasurer.
Sergeant H. J. BEAT, Hon. Secretary.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.—Autumn, 1870.—Renewal of the A. J. C. (SIRES) PRODUCE STAKES of 10 sovs. each, h. ft.; 2½ sov. if declared by the first Thursday after the Autumn Meeting of 1869, added to a subscription of 20 sov. each from the owners of thorough-bred stallions entered as under, and 100 sov. given by the A. J. C. for them (Autumn 1870) 2 years, the produce of stallions subscribing; colts, 8 st. 10 lbs.; fillies, 8 st. 8 lbs. (no allowance to geldings); the winner of the (AUSTRALIAN) Champagne Stakes, 7 lbs. extra; 7 furlongs; second horse 10 and the third 5 per cent. on the gross amount of the prize, to be deducted therefrom. Entrance, 1 sov. To close on the first Thursday after the Autumn Meeting of 1868, and be paid and the foals named and described on or before that date. The stakes and HALF-forfeits to be paid by 10 a.m. on the day of the race. SIRES MUST BE NOMINATED TO MR. BUCHAN THOMSON ON OR BEFORE THE FIRST THURSDAY AFTER THE SPRING MEETING, and each nomination accompanied by a promissory note made by the owner or his attorney for £20, payable on the 1st March, 1870, to the order of Mr. Buchan Thomson, from whom blank forms for the same can be had on application.

MADAME SOHIER'S WAXWORK EXHIBITION, 222, Pitt-street, Sydney.

This popular and instructive place of amusement is constantly visited by every fresh arrival from the country and the neighbouring colonies, and is too well appreciated by the public of all classes to require any puffing.

All the figures and groups have been re-arranged, and the rooms newly decorated in the most recherché style.

An excellent BAND will each evening perform a choice selection of music.

CAUTION.—The public are respectfully cautioned against clumsy would-be imitators who pirate in the country districts Madame Sohier's name.

Open from 10 a.m. till 10 p.m.
Admission to all parts, 1s.; Children, half-price.

GREAT ATHLETIC SPORTS.—To be held on the Albert Ground, on or about SATURDAY, September 15th, 1866.

PROGRAMME:

Running high jump
Youths' under 17, Hurdle Race, 200 yards
Walking Match, handicap, 2 miles
Sack Race
Handicap Hurdle Race, 350 yards
Throwing the Hammer, 14 lb.
The ALBERT HANDICAP, of 150 yards. 1st prize, 6 sovereigns; 2nd, 2 sovereigns
The Half-mile Handicap, flat race
The THREE-LEGGED RACE (last novelty from England in athletics)
Gentlemen (in public and mercantile offices) who have never won a prize on the Albert Ground.

TAYLOR'S American Bowling and Rifle Saloon, Castlereagh-st., near the Theatre, open daily.

FASHIONABLE DANCING.—Mr. J. CLARK and SON'S CLASSES meet as usual, on Tuesdays and Fridays. Private lessons given to ladies and gentlemen in all the new dances. Colonnade, Elizabeth-street North.

PRINCE OF WALES QUADRILLE ASSEMBLY.—The above will be held at Mr. JOHN CLARK'S, Elizabeth-street, on TUESDAY EVENING next.

DANCING TO-NIGHT, Argyle Hotel, Argyle-street. Admission free.

MR. W. KING'S Quadrille Assembly, Oddfellows' Hall, Sussex-street, MONDAY, August 13.

DANCING, TO-NIGHT, Prince of Wales Hotel, George-street South. T. GORMAN. Admission 1s.

MR. J. CLARK, JUN.'S Quadrille Assembly on MONDAY next. Colonnade, Elizabeth-street North.

DANCING at the Sportsman's Arms, Parramatta-st. Saturday and Monday Nights. Admission, 1s.

DANCING (Sets, Couples, Steps); Songs, To-night, Dow (do) Drop Inn, Prince-street, Church-hill.

DANCING TO-NIGHT, at the Friendship Hotel, Bathurst-street. Admission, free.

MR. W. CLARK'S Quadrille Assembly, on MONDAY next. 103, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

PIANOFORTES, by ERARD, BROADWOOD, COLLARD, KIRKMAN, CHAPPELL, CRAMER, JACKSON and PAINE, LAMBERT, CADBY, STODDART, WOLF, MORLEY, AUCHER, and others, for SALE or HIRE, with option of purchase.
HARMONIUMS by ALEXANDRE.—THE SCHOOL-ROOM, DRAWING-ROOM, UNIVERSAL, CHURCH, and EXHIBITION MODEL.
AUCHER'S PIANOFORTE, now on view, oblique and with folding key boards, direct from Paris.
MILITARY INSTRUMENTS, by BOOSEY, DISTIN, CORTOIS, and Dr. OATES' Eclipse Cornet.
MUSIC JUST RECEIVED.—MABEL GUARDS, and NURSKA WALTZES; L'AFRICAINE QUADRILLES; MABEL, LEVIATHAN, and NIGHT BELL GALLOPS. SONGS.—THERE IS A NAME I NEVER BREATHE, KATHLEEN AROON, HER BRIGHT SMILE HAUNTS ME STILL, MAGGIE'S SECRET, and a large collection of New and Popular Pianoforte Pieces, at one-third less than London published prices.
TUNING and REPAIRING, and Instrument provided during repairs, free of charge.
L. MOSS, Hunter-street and Pitt-street.

PIANOFORTES, Harmoniums, and Organs—Pianofortes by the most celebrated makers, in elegant walnut and rosewood cases—compass 7 octaves, C to C, and A to A, and all the latest improvements.
HARMONIUMS, by Alexandre, and other makers.
Organs built to order from £50, equal in power to the largest harmoniums.
Pianofortes, Harmoniums, and Organs tuned and repaired.
Pianofortes LENT on HIRE, and taken in exchange.
All orders entrusted to our care receive our own personal attention.
YOUNG and JACKSON, Pianoforte Makers and Organ Builders, 166, Pitt-street.

W. J. JOHNSON and CO., 233, Pitt-street, near King-street, Importers of PIANOFORTES, HARMONIUMS, and MUSIC.
The undermentioned manufacturers' instruments always on view:—
COLLARD and COLLARD
BROADWOOD and SONS
S and P. ERARD
CHARLES CADBY (Truss Braced)
CHALLEN, DUFF, and HODSON.
HARMONIUMS by CHRISTOPHE et ETIENNE.
3 Stops—Sourdine, Expression, and Tremolo, in Oak, £18.
7 Stops—Sourdine, Forte, Cor Anglais, Expression, Flute, Voix Celeste, and Tremolo, in Oak case, £22
The same harmonium in Rosewood case, £25.
10 Stops—Sourdine, Bourdon, Cor Anglais, Expression, Flute, Clarinette, 2 Fortes, and Tremolo, in Oak case, £27.
First-class English concertinas, £6 6s. each.
ANGLO-GERMAN CONCERTINAS.
20 keys, in Mahogany case, £2 2s. each
22 ditto, ditto, £2 6s. ditto
22 ditto, Rosewood case, £2 12s. ditto.
W. J. JOHNSON and CO. can supply tongues READY TUNED for harmoniums in the country, at very moderate prices, by post.
Ex TAMERLANE—a large parcel of NEW MUSIC, INSTRUCTION BOOKS, &c., just arrived, which will be sold at HALF THE LONDON MARKET PRICES.
PIANOFORTES TUNED, REPAIRED, LENT ON HIRE, and TAKEN IN EXCHANGE.
Spring-backed PORTFOLIOS, and every requisite in the music trade.
GRAND PIANOS by KIRKMAN.

PIANOFORTES, by
ERARD COLLARD
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in elegant walnut, rosewood, and oak cases, having 3 strings, 7 octaves, and all the latest improvements.
ERARD'S and BROADWOOD'S GRAND PIANOFORTES.
CRAMER and CO.'S PIANETTES, per Joshua. These splendid instruments are well-suited for boudoir, schoolroom, or cabin.
EVERY INSTRUMENT GUARANTEED, and will be sold at the
LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICE.
SECOND-HAND PIANOFORTES, equal to new, from £20.
HARMONIUMS, ALEXANDRE'S, in every variety, from £7 10s.
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MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, of every description.
STRINGS, FITTINGS, &c., at REDUCED PRICES.
PIANOFORTES, ORGANS, HARMONIUMS, and all kinds of MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS thoroughly TUNED and REPAIRED.
All the NEW and POPULAR MUSIC at ONE-THIRD LESS than PUBLISHED PRICES.
J. H. ANDERSON, 360, George-street.

HERR SIPP'S Dear Mother, and Paraphrase de Concert, just published. Anderson, George-street.

MESSRS. D. BUIST and SON, Pianoforte Warerooms, 235, George-street.

PIANOFORTES,
In elegant Walnut and Rosewood Cases.
HARMONIUMS, by ALEXANDRE.
VIOLINS, TENORS, GUITARS, &c.
Violin, Tenors, Violoncello, and Double-bass BOWS.
CORNOPEONS, by Oates.
Banjos in great variety; tambourines, triangles, clappers, &c., for nigger performances.
Concertinas, melodias, violins, and all descriptions of musical instruments, turned and repaired.
German accordeons, just received, 16 and 20 keys, with bell attachment, very superior instruments.
Violins and violoncello bows, by Dodd, Roman strings for violin, violoncello, guitar, harp, in sets or single.
English concertina, selected by Richard Blagrove for a gentleman about to leave the colony, a bargain.

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MR. MARSH'S PIANOFORTE STUDIO, 119, Castlereagh-st. Terms at Messrs. Elvy and Co.'s.

MR. MARSH'S Viceregal GALOP, price 3s; to be obtained at the principal Music Depots.

GRAND PIANOS, by ERARD, AUCHER, and BROADWOOD, now on view at W. H. PALING'S, where COTTAGE PIANOS, by every Renowned Maker in Europe are always in Stock for SALE, By INSTALMENTS or HIRE, with option of purchase.
W. H. PALING, Music Warehouse, 83, Wynyard-square, Sydney.

PARAPHRASE DE CONCERT by HERR SIPP, is just published, and can be had at all the Music-sellers.

PIANOFORTES—Broadwood's Grands and Cottages.—The newest designs and improvements, 7 octaves, A to A, in roseword and walnut
Elegant Cottage Pianos, by other eminent makers, with registered keys, 7 octaves, A to A, really good pianos
Harmoniums, by Alexandre, new and second-hand.
Pianofortes thoroughly repaired and carefully tuned; terms reasonable.
Second-hand pianos, by Broadwood, in good order, cheap.
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ELVY AND CO., Pianoforte and Music Warehouse, 321, George-street,
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COLLARD and COLLARD'S
7-octaves Cottage Pianos, having all their patented improvements.
ERARD'S (of London)
7-octaves Cottage Pianos, with the newly introduced sounding-board and metal bridge.
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7-octaves Cottage Pianos, of new designs, and with the latest improvements.
Note.—E. and Co. show a variety of the above mentioned instruments, in the choicest rosewood and walnut. PRICES VERY LOW.
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in beautiful Blackwood. These pianos are made of the most durable materials, and prepared for the hottest parts of this continent. The WRITER [illegible] to the cheap English pianos.
To sell by public auction on MONDAY, in concluding [illegible] 220.
Fine-toned 6½ octave cottage pianos, replete with every [illegible] do well by calling [illegible] confident that the [illegible] will [illegible] prices.
One-third an area of freehold sites:—BAY ESTATE. [illegible] very article he will [illegible]
CATHOLIC BOOKS [illegible] as follows:—MAGAN, Dublin Book Warehouse, [illegible]AN-STREET, has just received, by the Sir John [illegible], a fresh supply of the above works. Country orders carefully attended to.

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN BOOKS, in all sizes and varieties of binding. W. MADDOCK, 383, George-street.

CONGREGATIONAL YEAR BOOK for 1866, 3s, posted 4s. A few copies still on hand. W. MADDOCK, 383, George-street.

HANDBOOK to the GARDEN for New South Wales, price 1s 6d, posted 1s 10d. W. MADDOCK, 383, George-street.

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SCHOOL BOOKS and Stationery in every department. A liberal allowance to teachers. W. MADDOCK, 383, George-street.

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No. 117—1866.
Custom House-buildings, Macquarie-place,
Sydney, 15th July, 1861.

NEW SOUTH WALES COMMISSION FOR THE PARIS UNIVERSAL EXHIBITION OF 1867.

The VEGETABLE PRODUCTS COMMITTEE of the NEW SOUTH WALES COMMISSIONERS for the PARIS UNIVERSAL EXHIBITION of 1867, are desirous to collect, as speedily as possible, the products enumerated beneath, and, if practicable, in the quantities opposite them.

All articles intended for exhibition only will be conveyed by the local steamboats and Government railways to Sydney without any charge to the owners, and then transmitted to Paris also free of cost.

Intending contributors are invited to send in their specimens before the close of October next, addressed to me, who will be happy to give every information.

Product.	Quantity. Not less than—
Wheat	2 packs, each variety
Barley	Ditto
Rye	Ditto
Oats	Ditto
Beans	Ditto
Peas	Ditto
Maize, in the cob	Ditto
Sorghum or millet, in the heads	12 heads
Seeds of Cheiranthus	Best collection
Ditto of Lucerne	Ditto
Ditto of Salsola	Ditto
Ditto of Cultivated Grasses	Ditto
Vegetable Garden Seeds	Ditto
Canary Seed	Ditto
Flour of Wheat	25 lbs. each
Ditto of Maize	Ditto
Ditto of other Grain	Ditto
Manufactured Products from Flour	Ditto
Oatmeal	56 lbs.
Starch	2 lbs, 5 lbs. each
Arrowroot	Ditto
Ginger	3 lbs.
Sugar, from the Cane	28 lbs. each
Ditto, from Sorghum	Ditto
Ditto, from any other source	Ditto
Rope	6 lbs.
Tobacco, in the leaf	Ditto
Ditto, manufactured	28 lbs.
Wines, from the Grape	24 bottles
Ditto, from any other source	8 bottles
Vinegar	Ditto
Fruits, dried	4 to 6 lbs.
Ditto, preserved	Ditto
Raisins	Ditto
Cotton, picked	28 lbs.
Flax	56 lbs.
Hemp	Ditto
Vegetable fibre, fit for cordage or paper	1 cwt.
Oil (olive)	6 bottles
Ditto, expressed from any other source	Ditto
Ditto, volatile, obtained by distillation	Ditto
Gums and resins	28 lbs.
Medicinal substances	Best collection
Barks, for tanning, or for dyeing	Not exceeding 14 lbs.
Woods, for timber	Moderate quantity
Ditto, for cabinet	Ditto
Ditto, for dyeing	Ditto.

A. G. DE GULAY,
Secretary to the Commission.

Town Clerk's Office,
Sydney, 3rd August, 1866.

TO IRONFOUNDERS and ENGINEERS.—TENDERS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock on THURSDAY, the 9th instant, from persons willing to supply to the Municipal Council of Sydney, a set of three cast-iron Plunger Pumps, 6 inches in diameter, 10 inches stroke, with connecting rods, valves, 3-throw crank frame and driving pulley (turned), 30 inches in diameter, 8 inches wide, with 20 feet of suction, and 30 feet of delivery pipe. The time at which the above will be delivered to be stated in the tenders.

The Municipal Council will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender, nor will any tender be taken into consideration unless accompanied by the names of two responsible persons willing to become surety to the extent named in the specification for the due fulfilment of the contract.

CHARLES H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

No. 66-63. Town Clerk's Office.

TO CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS will be received at this Office until 3 o'clock on MONDAY, the 13th instant, for the performance of the undermentioned works, in accordance with the plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the City Engineer, viz.:—

1. Extension of sewer on the north side of William-street, to Sandley's-alley.
2. Construction of sewer between Castlereagh and Buckingham-streets.

The Municipal Council will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender; nor will any tender be taken into consideration unless accompanied by the names of two responsible persons willing to become surety to the extent named in the specification for the due fulfilment of the contract.

CHARLES H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

No. 66-53. Town Clerk's Office,
Sydney, 3rd August, 1866.

TO CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock on THURSDAY, the 12th instant, for the performance of the undermentioned works, in accordance with the plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the City Surveyor, viz.:—

1. Forming, ballasting, and blinding Kellett-street.
2. Forming, ballasting, and blinding Mary-street.
3. Forming, ballasting, and blinding Riley-street, between Cooper and Devonshire streets.

The Municipal Council will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender; nor will any tender be taken into consideration unless accompanied by the names of two responsible persons willing to become surety to the extent named in the specification for the due fulfilment of the contract.

CHARLES H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

Town Clerk's Office,
Sydney, 3rd August, 1866.

TO CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS will be received at this Office until 12 o'clock on THURSDAY, the 9th instant, for the performance of the undermentioned Works, in accordance with the plan and specification to be seen at the office of the City Surveyor, viz.:—

Ballasting and blinding DOMAIN ROAD, from centre of Woolloomooloo-street to the centre of Palmer-street.

The Municipal Council will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender; nor will any tender be taken into consideration unless accompanied by the names of two responsible persons willing to become surety to the extent named in the specification for the due fulfilment of the contract.

CHARLES H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the erection of a Dwelling-house in Elizabeth-street South. Apply for plans and specifications to Mr. J. J. DAVEY, Architect, Post-office Chambers, to whom tenders are to be sent on or before SATURDAY, 11th instant, at noon.

TO COPPER MINERS, SPECULATORS, and others.—THE WESTERN MINING COMPANY are prepared to receive TENDERS up to the 1st September, 1866, for the purchase of their COPPER ORES (at per unit) on the Mines at Iolly, about 20 miles west of Bathurst, or for smelting the same on the mine at per ton. The contractor will be required to purchase or smelt at least two hundred tons of ore per month, and to increase the quantity by one hundred tons per month, at three months' notice, up to six hundred tons per month in all. The Directors of the Company reserve to themselves the right of reducing the amount of the increased supply of ore at the rate of one hundred tons per month, at any time, on giving three months' notice, until the supply be reduced to the minimum amount, viz., two hundred tons per month, which amount the Company engage to supply for a period of five years.

Smelting works may be erected at the mines. First-class fire-clay, &c., can be obtained in the neighbourhood of the works, and sufficient wood for smelting purposes, to last for years within a radius of two miles.

Parties tendering to name two responsible persons as sureties for the due performance of the contract.

Further particulars can be obtained on application to B. WEBB, Esq., Chairman of the Company, at Bathurst; or to MATTHEW M'CAW, Esq., M.L.A., 43, Bourke-street West, Melbourne, Victoria; or to ALFRED STEVENS, Esq., Secretary of the Company, Iolly, Gayong, Bathurst.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tenders for the purchase or smelting of Copper Ore," and addressed under separate cover to B. WEBB, Esq., Chairman of the Western Mining Company, Bathurst, New South Wales.

June 25th, 1866.

TENDERS Wanted, for the Carriage of about 80 tons of small Iron, from the Commercial Wharf to Railway Station. Apply to Mr. C. F. DAVIS, Governor Bourke Inn, Campbelltown.

TENDERS are invited, to the 8th instant, for the erection of a Cottage, at Paddington. Plans and particulars with the architect, B. GLEADALL, Moore's-buildings.

MUNICIPALITY OF NEWTOWN.—TENDERS will be received up to 7 o'clock p.m., on MONDAY, 13th instant, for the performance of the undermentioned works, viz.:

1. Kerbing and guttering portions of the following streets in O'Connell Ward:—
O'Connell-street, 87 yards; Missendon Road, 245 yards; Prospect-street, 56 yards; Hordern-street, 56 yards.
2. Kerbing and guttering to the amount of £60, to be laid down in Kingston Ward.
3. Erection of a brick culvert half-way across Edgware Road.

Specifications can be seen, and all particulars obtained, by applying at the Council Chambers, between the hours of 3 and 6 p.m.

By order of the Chairman,
ROBERT V. BANKS, Council Clerk.
Council Chambers, August 3rd, 1866.

TO MASONS.—TENDERS wanted for about 300 perches Masonry. F. S. LAYRES, 246, Elizabeth-st.

TO CARPENTERS and Others.—TENDERS required for a small job. Jarrett's, Royal Oak, Paddington.

TO CARTERS.—TENDERS required forgetting (to the Glebe) materials of cottage, near Christ Church. Robert Pitt, Francis-street, Glebe.

DARLINGTON MUNICIPALITY. — TENDERS are required for forming, ballasting, and blinding Vine-street. Also, for laying stoneware crossings at junctions of lanes in Rose and Shepherd streets. Plan can be seen and all particulars known at the Chamber, Rose-street, on Mondays and Fridays, from 6 till 8 o'clock p.m. By order of the Chairman.

SAMUEL PARTRIDGE, Council Clerk.

LONDON, BIRMINGHAM, AND SHEFFIELD WAREHOUSE.—W. SABER, returning thanks to his town and country customers for their patronage for the last fourteen years, begs to inform them that he has, at a considerable expense, created a large and commodious store, next to his present one, and that he is now prepared to execute all orders entrusted to his care, with promptness and dispatch. Storekeepers in the country, visiting town for the purpose of selecting their goods, will have the advantage of seeing the samples of different articles, in the Show Rooms, where they can at once order by them, without causing unnecessary delay. In addition to W. S.'s large stock of goods he always keeps on hand, he has just received, ex late arrivals, the following, in original packages:—

HARDWARE.	CHINAWARE.
4 cases jews-harps	8 cases Dresden china figures
8 cases assorted cutlery	4 dozens parian ornaments
3 ditto spoons	5 cases Bohemian glassware
2 ditto brass and-irons, &c., &c.	7 cases china ornaments of the most costly description.
GLASSWARE.	PICTURES.
16 cases wine glasses	2 cases assorted pictures
6 hogsheads tumblers	2 ditto large ditto, gilt frames
2 ditto butters	3 ditto ditto, maple frames
2 ditto carafs	3 ditto oil paintings, in handsome gilt frames.
4 cases goblets.	
STATIONERY.	PHOTOGRAPHIC GOODS.
6 cases envelopes, assorted quality	1 case rolling presses
5 cases note paper, ditto	1 ditto portrait cases, all sizes
2 ditto assorted stationery.	4 cases glass, crown and patent plate
2 ditto novels.	2 cases nests for mounting.
CLOCKS.	MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
20 cases American clocks, round and sharp gothic, 8-day and 30-hour	1 case fifelines and melodions
2 cases marble clocks, newest designs.	2 cases concertinas
TOBACCONISTS' WARE.	1 case flutes
2 cases meerschaum pipes	FANCY GOODS.
2 ditto match boxes	49 cases, containing every description of goods in the above line.
Also, a few cases containing wood pipes, imitation meerschaum, pouches, &c.	

JEWELLERY.

W. SABER would particularly call the attention of the trade to his large and varied assortment of the above, some of which he receives by every overland mail, containing the newest articles of the day; and he has not the slightest hesitation in saying that his stock of jewellery is the largest in the colony.

W. SABER, in concluding, would remind storekeepers that his store is replete with everything necessary for the trade, and they will do well by calling and inspecting his Show Rooms, as he feels confident that if once he is favoured with an order he is sure he will receive a continuance of them, as almost every article required by country storekeepers will be found in his stock; and he hopes they will not forget that he allows 2½ per cent. discount on all orders accompanied with cash, but would further add that he will not charge extra so as to allow the discount, but charge as low as possible, as any person will at once perceive by his prices.

W. SABER,
Wholesale Jeweller and General Importer,
500 and 502, George-street, Sydney.

N.B.—Catalogues may be had on application.

MYERS and CANTOR, IMPORTERS of CHINA, GLASS, HARTHENWARE, KEROSENE LAMPS, &c., take this opportunity of thanking their numerous friends and patrons for the very liberal support accorded them during the nine years they have been in business, and have much pleasure in announcing their REMOVAL to those very EXTENSIVE PREMISES lately occupied by Mr. E. Vickery, where they intend to continue their business on a much improved principle. The facilities they now possess of displaying their MAGNIFICENT STOCK, together with civility and prompt attention to favours, they trust will be the means of increasing business.

THE SHOW-ROOM has been fitted up REGARDLESS OF COST, and, taken as a whole, may be fairly pronounced to be without a RIVAL in the AUSTRALIAN COLONIES.

M. and C. most respectfully invite attention to their carefully selected stock of Breakfast, Dinner, Tea, Dessert, and Toilet Services, from the most renowned manufactures in England.

The CUT GLASSWARE DEPARTMENT will be found replete in every respect, having just received a shipment of ELEGANT SUITES of TABLE CUT GLASSWARE, EXHIBITION and Melrose Flower-stands.

Also, a most SUPERLATIVELY GRAND assortment of DRESSING and SEWERS Vases and STATUARY.

PRIVATE FAMILIES and HOTELKEEPERS will find it to their advantage to visit our new ESTABLISHMENT, where will be found Glassware maintaining uniformity of temperature, on this account most suitable to the COLONIES.

OSAGE ORANGE, a new hedge plant, from the banks of the Potomac, forms a fence perfectly impenetrable by cattle. Seed, 20s per lb. Also cultural directions. Prairie Grass, for present sowing the best winter grass in cultivation, 1s per lb. LAW, SOMNER, and CO., 309, Pitt-street.

SALES BY AUCTION.

MR. S. WOOLLER will sell by auction, at his Horse Repository, Pitt-street, opposite Tattersall's, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

4 good cart horses, with dwys and harness
6 first-class saddle and pig horses, subject to trials
Carts and drays, dogcarts, buggies, spring-carts, &c.

Fat Sheep.

BURT and CO. will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, on MONDAY, at 12 o'clock,
350 fat sheep—a prime lot, over 60 lbs. average weight.

Prime Fat Cattle.

At the Annandale Yards, MONDAY next.

BURT and CO. are instructed by C. M. Saunders, Esq., to sell by auction, at the above Yards, on MONDAY next, the 6th instant, at 2 o'clock,
140 head very prime fat cattle, mostly bullocks.

☞ The above are a remarkably fine lot of weighty cattle, and worthy the attention of shippers to the Southern markets.

Martyn's Horse and Carriage Bazaar, 246, Pitt-street, and 238, Castlereagh-street.

MESSRS. MARTYN and CO. hold auction sales as under:

At the Bazaar—Sales of horses, vehicles, &c., every TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY, at 11 o'clock.

At the Camperdown Yards,—Sales of broken and unbroken stock, at 2 o'clock, on any day in the week.

☞ A large stock of buggies and other vehicles, harness, saddlery, &c., constantly on hand.

Fat Lambs. Fat Lambs. Fat Lambs.

MARTYN and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on TUESDAY next, 7th instant, at 12 o'clock,
50 prime fat lambs.

SATURDAY'S General Sale.

MARTYN and CO. will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
Horses, vehicles, harness, saddlery, &c.
Fresh country horses, from Fort Stephens.

First-class Horses, just arrived.

MARTYN and CO. have received instructions from Mr. Brown to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

A batch of up-standing horses, just arrived from Port Stephens, and adapted for first-class carriage horses, hackneys, and for journey purposes.

Butchers. Butchers. Butchers.

MR. W. FULLAGAR has received instructions from Messrs. Onus and Town to sell, at his Yards, Western Road, on MONDAY, 6th August, at 11 o'clock,
270 head of prime fat cattle, in lots to suit purchasers.

Butchers. Butchers. Butchers.

MR. W. FULLAGAR has received instructions from H. Richards, Esq., to sell, at his Yards, Western Road, on MONDAY, 6th August, at 10 o'clock,
100 head of prime bullocks, in lots to suit purchasers.

The noted 1VF heads.

Buyers. Buyers. Buyers.

MR. WILLIAM TINDALE has received instructions from George Innes, Esq., to sell, at Beardmore and Stokes' Yards, 778, George-street, Sydney, THIS DAY, 4th August, at 11 o'clock,
170 prime fat sheep, from the Hunter.

Fat Cattle. Fat Cattle.

At the Victoria Yards, Petersham, on WEDNESDAY.

HARRISON and JONES are instructed by Edward Flood, Esq., to sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, 8th August, at 2 o'clock,
150 head of really prime cattle.

To Graziers, Capitalists, and others.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from the executors of the late Mr. John Cribb to sell by auction, on the 4th September next, at Tattersall's, Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11 o'clock,
The whole right and interest of the said executors of the JO over JR brand on rump and V on neck herd of cattle, now running on Mr. John Town's stations, comprising—GO GIL, Matrit, and Barwon, &c., &c., the greatest distance being about 70 miles from Moree Post-town, district of Gwydir.

The said cattle are supposed to number about 2500, more or less, but no number guaranteed; to be mustered by the vendor; such muster will commence on the 24th of September next, and be completed on the 24th of December following, when the right of brand will be given to purchaser.

Also, about 100 horses, more or less, no number guaranteed by vendor.

Fat Sheep. Fat Sheep. Fat Sheep.

F. P. MEARES has received instructions from J. R. Nowlan, Esq., to sell by auction, at his Depot, George-street South, at 11 o'clock, THIS DAY, Saturday,
70 prime fat wethers.

Terms, cash.

Prime Fat Bullocks.

BEARDMORE and STOKES will sell by auction, THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock precisely, at the Depot, 778, George-street,
2 stall-fed fat bullocks, weighing about 1030 lbs. each.
These bullocks are remarkably fine, and were bred and fed on the Williams River.

To Butchers.

BEARDMORE and STOKES will sell, THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock, at the Depot, 778, George-street South,
2 very fine fat bullocks.

Fat Cattle. Fat Cattle.

At the Homebush Sale Yards, on TUESDAY, the 7th August, at half past 2 o'clock.

THOMAS DAWSON has received instructions from Andrew J. Doyle, Esq., to sell by auction, as above,
100 head of prime fat cattle,
in lots to suit purchasers.

Terms, cash.

Sale by Auction.

THIS DAY.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at the Mart, Labour Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
New and second-hand clothing
Gold, silver, and other watches
Boots, shoes, and sundries.

Terms, cash.

On TUESDAY, August 7th, at 11 o'clock.

On account of whom it may concern.
Ex Glengarin, Garrick, master, from London.
Damaged by sea water.

214—1 Case Assorted Toys
217—1 ditto I. R. Balls.

To Toy Dealers, Buyers of Fancy Goods, and others.

MR. JOHN SOLOMON has received instructions to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, 309, George-street, on TUESDAY, August 7th, at 11 o'clock,
1 case assorted toys
1 case I. R. balls
Damaged by sea water.

Terms, cash.

By Virtue of Bill of Sale.

MR. H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, at his Rooms, late 141, King-street East, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 8th instant,
Superior and useful household furniture and effects, beer engines, lamps, patent commode, &c., &c.
On view at Rooms.

To Small Capitalists, and others on the look-out for a small little Freehold Property, consisting of a stone built House, with four apartments, shop, dining-room, two bedrooms and kitchen, and an Allotment of Land, 23 feet by 92 feet, in Sydney.

MESSRS. MOLLOY and NEWELL have been instructed by the owner, Mr. J. O'Brien, Sheriff's Gardens, to sell by public auction, on the premises, East-street, near Mr. Upton's, Native House, public house, on MONDAY, the 13th day of August, at 12 o'clock,
A first-class two story stone house, consisting of shop, fitted up, dining-room, two bedrooms, kitchen, and an allotment of land, having a frontage of 23 feet by a depth of 90 feet, all enclosed; plenty of water, with back entrance, and let to a good tenant at £1 2s 6d per week.

Title, first-rate.
Terms at time of sale.

To Parties on the Look-out for a good Bargain of a Two-story Brick House, and an Allotment of Land.

MESSRS. MOLLOY and NEWELL have been instructed by the owner to sell by public auction, on the premises, O'Connell-street, O'Connell Town, Newtown, on TUESDAY, the 14th instant, at 12 o'clock, for cash,
A good substantial brick house of four rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, on stone foundation, connected; rooms fitted up with sideboards, and finished throughout in first-rate order, with an allotment of land 26 feet frontage by a depth of 88½ feet, with a splendid well of pure water, having also a back entrance, and will bring in a good rental.

Title, freehold. Must be sold to the highest bidder.

Toys, Fancy Goods, Jewellery, Stationery, Novels, Glass, Show Cases, &c.

Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, 8th August.

F. R. RISHWORTH has received instructions from Mr. J. M. Fludder to sell by public auction, on his premises, No. 52, Erskine-street, on WEDNESDAY, 8th August, at 11 o'clock,
The whole of his stock-in-trade of
Toys and fancy goods
Brooches, rings, ear-rings
Cheap jewellery, stationery, novels
Glass show cases, &c., &c.

Terms, cash—No reserve.

N.B.—The above will be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

Drapery, Manchester Goods, Clothing, &c., &c.
Now landing ex Harlaw, and Harvest Home.

THURSDAY, 9th
FRIDAY, 10th,
At 11 o'clock each day.

MESSRS. CHAS. MOORE and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on the above days,
Several consignments drapery, Manchester goods, clothing, &c.

Particulars on Wednesday.

Insolvent Estate of H. Wilesberg.

SATURDAY, 4th August, at 11 o'clock,
At 590, George-street South.

Dogcart, Horse, Harness, Saddle
Sewing-Machine (Singer's), and quantity of Household Furniture, &c., &c.

MR. H. D. COCKBURN has been instructed by the Official Assignee in the above estate to sell by auction, THIS DAY, 4th August, at 11 o'clock.

The above.

Terms cash.

Unreserved Clearance Sale of Timber.

FRIDAY, 10th August.
At Moon's Wharf (Late Dugald's), Miller's Point.

Important Notice to Timber Merchants, Builders, Contractors, Carpenters, and others.
For Positively Unreserved Sale.

New York Lumber
Oregon rough and dressed Pine
Colonial Hardwood
V. D. L. ditto
Palings, and Sundries.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. have been instructed by Mr. Henry Moon to sell by auction, at Moon's Wharf (late Dugald's), Miller's Point, on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, at half-past 2,
The whole of the stock of timber, &c., in consequence of Mr. Moon's intended retirement from the trade.

The stock consists of:—
60,000 feet T. and G. white pine boards, 1 inch
10,000 ditto Oregon pine scantling, various
2,000 ditto ditto boards, rough, 1 inch
12,000 ditto ditto weatherboards
3,000 ditto ditto T. and G. boards, 1 inch
5,000 ditto ditto ditto, 1½ inch
30,000 colonial hardwood flooring boards, planed, &c., 6 x 1
40,000 ditto assorted sawn colonial hardwood, long lengths
5,000 Robert Town palings, 5 feet
5,000 ditto ditto, 6 feet.
And numerous lots of timber, &c., &c., to clear the wharf.

Terms at sale.

THE BROTHERS.

TUESDAY, 7th August.

To Merchants, Captains, Owners of Vessels and others interested in the International traffic.

For Unreserved Sale.
First Lot to be offered.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at the City Mart, 397, George-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 7th August, at 11 o'clock,

First lot to be offered,
The fine new colonial-built fore-and-aft schooner,
BROTHERS.

This first-class little vessel was built at the Williams River, New South Wales, in 1865, of the very best materials and workmanship, and is now for unreserved sale to close an account. She is 70 tons register, 45 feet long, 13½ feet beam, and 5 feet depth of hold, and carries a large cargo for her tonnage.

The BROTHERS is now lying alongside Holdsm's Wharf, Darling Harbour, and can be inspected at any time.

Terms at sale.

Ironmongery.

To Ironmongers, Ship Chandlers, and others.

TUESDAY, 7th August.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at the City Mart, on TUESDAY, at 11,
Ironmongery
Shipchandlery, &c.

Terms at sale.

Window Glass.

TUESDAY, 7th August.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on TUESDAY, at 11,
60 boxes window glass.

Terms at sale.

Furnace Fans.

TUESDAY, 7th August.

To Soapboilers, Tallow-melters, Ironfounders, and others.

On account of whom it may concern.
Ex Statelin, from Liverpool.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on TUESDAY, at 11,
19 furnace fans, varying in capacity from 16 gallons to 120 gallons.

Terms, cash.

Ship Chandlery.
Saved from the Wrecks of the Schooners Williams, and Colina.

FRIDAY, 10th August.

At Moore's Wharf (late Dugald's).

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, on Moore's Wharf, Miller's Point, on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, at half-past 2,
The following stores from the wrecks of the schooners Williams and Colina, viz.:—
Rope, blocks, sails, spars
Cable fittings, anchors, chains
Provisions, and sundries.

Terms at sale.

Groceries
Gilmore's Stores
Perishables.

WEDNESDAY, 8th August.

Important Preliminary Announcement.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Country Storekeepers, Merchants, Shippers, and others.
Ex late arrivals.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, at 11,
Invoices of groceries, dried fruits, tea, sugars, general groceries, and provisions.

Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, August 7.

At Chandler and Co.'s Auction Rooms, 720, George-street, opposite Bridge-street.

Extensive Sale by Auction of
Furniture
Pianofortes
Harmoniums
Iron Bedsteads
Glassware
Earthenware
Electro-plated Ware
Table Cutlery, &c., &c.

Comprising—
Elegant Walnut and Rosewood Drawing-room Suites, covered in rich Silk Tabaret Damask and Utrecht Velvet, in crimson, green, and fancy patterns
Loo and oval tables
Centerbury and Corner Whatnots
Card Tables, occasional ditto
Mahogany Sideboards, plate and plate-glass backs
Chiffoniers
Chests of Drawers
Marble Washstands and Dressing Tables
Cedar and painted ditto
Towel Horses
Cane-seat and other Chairs
Bedsteads
Tubular fore-post Iron Bedsteads
Brass ditto ditto
Feather and Horsehair Mattresses
Feather Pillows
Pianofortes
Harmoniums, by Alexandre
Concertinas and Violins
Highly cut Decanters, Wines, Champagne, and Tumblers
Water Carafes, Butter Coolers
Cockney and Earthenware
Toilet Sets
White and Gold Breakfast Sets
Parian China Vases and Ornaments
Regler-made Tea Trays, in sets
Wire Dish Covers
Ivory balance-handled Table Knives, Carvers, &c., in sets
Electro-plated Cruet Frames, Liquor Frames, Butter Coolers and Knives, Spoons, and Forks
Alabaster and Gilt Clocks
Brass ditto
American ditto
Cooking Stoves
Kitchen Dressers, Meat Safes, and Tables, and a variety of other articles.

MESSRS. CHANDLER and CO. will sell by auction, at their new Rooms, 229, George-street, on TUESDAY, August 7th, at 11 o'clock sharp.
A large quantity of furniture and other goods, as above.

Terms liberal. No reserve.

MONDAY, 6th August, 1866.

Enfield Rifles and Bayonets.

To Gunsmiths, Volunteer Companies, and others.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell, at the Bank Auction Rooms, at 11,
3 cases Enfield rifles, with bayonets.

Terms at sale.

MONDAY, 6th August, 1866.

WALKER'S HORSE NAILS.
5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 lbs.

To Farriers, Ironmongers, and others.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell, at the Bank Auction Rooms, at 11,
On account of whom it may concern,
30 kegs Walker's horse nails,
5 to 10 lbs.

Terms, cash.

MONDAY, 6th August.

ASSORTED TINWARE.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell, at the Bank Auction Rooms, at 11,
2 packages assorted tinware.

Terms at sale.

MONDAY, 6th August, 1866.

ELECTRO-PLATED WARE
IVORY TABLE CUTLERY.

To Silversmiths, Furnishing Ironmongers, Cutlers, and others.

JOHN G. COHEN has received instructions to sell, at the Bank Auction Rooms, at 11,
6 packages electro-plated ware, viz.:
Table spoons and forks, fiddle double threaded pattern
Dessert, fiddle ditto ditto
Soup ladles, gravy spoons, sauce ladles, ditto
Tea spoons, salts, cruets, &c.
IVORY TABLE CUTLERY.
2 packages of a well-selected assortment of ivory table cutlery, &c.

Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 7th August, 1866.

68 Quarter-casks Port Wine
4 ditto Best Roman Punch
12 Punchrooms Slice Bitts.

To Wine and Spirit Merchants
To Publicans
To Shippers, and others.

JOHN G. COHEN has received instructions to sell by auction, at Leigh's Bonded Stores, TUESDAY, 7th August, 1866, at 11 o'clock,
Port wine and best Roman punch.

As above described.
Reserve.
Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 7th August, 1866.

AMERICAN BOOTS.

To Bootand Shoe Buyers, and others.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell, at the Bank Auction Rooms, at 11,
A shipment of AMERICAN GOODS, viz.—
Grain W. P., plain tops
Ditto, hungarian ditto
Calf nugget gilt ditto
Kip W. P., plain ditto
Ditto nugget-gilt ditto
Ditto lasting and foxmont ditto
Ditto D. S. thick ditto
Men's overshoes, &c.

Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 7th August, 1866.

GILT FRAME ENGRAVINGS, &c.

To Stationers, Picture Dealers, and others.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell, at the Bank Auction Rooms, at 11,
2 packages large gilt frame engravings, assorted subjects
1 package ditto, coloured, in maple frames, ditto.

Terms at sale.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, 7th August, 1866.

FENCING WIRE.

To Ironmongers, Squatters, and others.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell by auction, on the Circular Wharf, at half-past 2,
208 bundles oiled fencing wire.
Ex Statelin, from Liverpool.

Terms at sale.

WEDNESDAY, 8th August, 1866.

Earthenware
China
Cut Glassware.

Ex Woolloomooloo.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell, at the Bank Auction Rooms, at 11,
76 packages of the above goods.

Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, 9th August, 1866.

Groceries, Gilmore's Stores
Damaged Salad Oil, &c., &c.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell, at the Bank Auction Rooms, at 11,
Invoices of the above goods.

Terms at sale.

FRIDAY, 10th August, 1866.

FURNITURE.

To Parties Furnishing, Furniture Buyers, and others.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell, at the Bank Auction Rooms, at 11,
An invoice of furniture, viz.:—
Drawing and dining room suites
Card, loo, and dining tables
Towel horses, chairs, couches
Chests of drawers, davenports, &c.
Detailed particulars will be advertised.

Terms at sale.

FRIDAY, 10th August, 1866.

PIANOFORTES.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell, at the Bank Auction Rooms, at 11,
5 pianofortes, by celebrated English manufacturers.

On SATURDAY, August 4, at 11 o'clock,

At the Old Bank of Australia.

For Unreserved Sale, by Order of the Executors of the late T. E. Weedon, Esq.

Valuable Household Furniture and Effects.
Removed to the Rooms for the Convenience of Sale.

MESSRS. BRADLEY and NEWTON have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 229, George-street, THIS DAY, August 4th, at 11 o'clock,
Valuable household furniture and effects.

Terms, cash.

The shows are now on view.

THIS DAY, Saturday, August 4, at 11 o'clock.
At the Old Bank of Australia.

To General Dealers and others.

Remainder of Shipment of
English Furniture
Bohemian Glass Vases
Engravings, Carpets
Port and Sherry Wine, Bottled Beer; and
Sundries.

To close various accounts.

MESSRS. BRADLEY and NEWTON have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, THIS DAY,

The above.

Terms, cash.

On WEDNESDAY, August 8th, at 11 o'clock.

At No. 1, Dynevor-terrace, Piper-street, Woolahara, the residence of H. Gooch, Esq.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, and others.

Highly Important Unreserved Sale by Auction of Elegant and Substantial Household Furniture and Effects.

Cut Glass, China, and Electro-plate
Iron and Brass Bedsteads
Wardrobe, with sliding trays
Marble Washstand and Dressing Table
Curtains, Carpets
Cooking Utensils and Sundries.

MESSRS. BRADLEY and NEWTON have been favoured with instructions from H. Gooch, Esq., to sell by auction, at his residence, Piper-street, Woolahara, on WEDNESDAY, August 8th, at 11 o'clock.

The whole of his valuable household furniture and effects.

Terms, cash.

The HOUSE is to LET.

Preliminary Notice.

On an Early Day, at the Old Bank of Australia.

To Gentlemen and others.

Large Assortment of Flower Stands
Garden Chairs and Tables, Bronze Brackets
Celebrated Dale Castings
Wire Summer Houses
Garden Rollers and Lawn Mowers.
Flower Trainers and Labels, &c.

MESSRS. BRADLEY and NEWTON have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 229, George-street, on an early day,
A shipment of the celebrated Colebrook Dale castings.

Terms, cash.

TUESDAY, 7th August.

To China and Glassware Dealers.

80 Packages China and Glassware.
Now landing ex Tamerlane.

HENRY CHATTO and CO. have received instructions from the importers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, on TUESDAY, 7th instant, at 11 o'clock,
86 packages of china and glassware.
Now landing ex Tamerlane,

Comprising—
White and gold haviskok toilette sets
Best cut half-pint tumblers
Heavy bottomed flint tumblers
Best flint half-pint tumblers
Best cut flint sherry and port glasses
Royal pattern port and sherry glasses
Alexandra ditto port and sherry glasses
Full flint ale glasses
Green hock glasses
Mauve claret glasses
Fresno water bottles, &c.

Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 7th August,
At 12 o'clock sharp.

Kerosene Lamps
Kerosene Chimneys.

HENRY CHATTO and CO. have received instructions from the importers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, on TUESDAY, 7th instant, at 12 o'clock sharp.

An invoice of kerosene lamps and chimneys, now landing ex Tamerlane, comprising—
2 crates enclosed kerosene lamps, coloured in green, blue, and white
3 crates 14 inch beaded kerosene lamps, with opaque reservoirs
10 cases kerosene chimneys.

Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, 9th August.

To Stationers
To Printers, Grocers, and others.

☞ Preliminary Notice.

HENRY CHATTO and CO. have received instructions from the importers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, on THURSDAY, 9th instant, at 11 o'clock,
Invoices of general stationery, printing and grocers papers.
Now landing ex Tamerlane, and Joshua.
☞ Particulars in a future issue.

HOBART TOWN PRODUCE.

The Entire Cargo of the Australasian Packet.

QUARTERING and JOISTS
BATTENS
PALINGS
SHINGLES
HYDRAULIC-PRESSED OATEN HAY
POTATOES
CARROTS
APPLES.

For Sale by Auction, at the Market Wharf, TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock prompt.

MR. W. DEAN will sell by auction, at the Market Wharf, on TUESDAY, 7th August, at half-past 2 o'clock,
The cargo of the Australasian Packet, from Hobart Town, viz.:—

TIMBER.
506 pieces 3 x 2, 9 to 14 feet long
711 ditto 4 x 2, ditto
69 ditto 4 x 3, 6 x 2, and 6 x 3, 10 to 16 feet long.
BATTENS.
1435 battens, 8 to 16 feet.
PALINGS and SHINGLES.
20,845, 5-foot palings
2,080, 5 ditto ditto
57,600 shingles.
HAY, POTATOES, &c.
70 bales best hydraulic-pressed oaten hay, very superior
15 tons best Hobart Town potatoes
7 tons carrots
26 cases apples.

Terms at sale.

DAMAGED SUGARS.
On account of whom it may concern.
400 Bags
MAURITIUS SUGAR,
Slightly damaged.
For Sale by Auction, without reserve

TUESDAY, 7th August.

To Dealers, Grocers, and others.

MR. W. DEAN will sell by auction, at his Warehouse, Pitt and O'Connell streets, TUESDAY, 7th August, at 11 o'clock,
About 400 bags Mauritius sugar, slightly damaged, the principal lots being
No. 14—24

Large, Important, and Attractive Auction Sale. Positively Unreserved.

3017 Bags MAURITIUS SUGARS,

, The Entire Cargo of the Barque Consisting principally of Good Medium to Finest Counter Sugars, and including a few samples of Fluent White Crystals, and Bright Rations. Bona-fide Unreserved Sale. On account of the Importers, Messrs. Daniell, King, and Co.

TUESDAY, 7th August.

To Merchants, Speculators, Grocers, Country Buyers, Shippers, Storekeepers, and others.

MR. W. DEAN has received instructions from the importers Messrs. Daniell, King, and Co., to sell by auction, at his Warehouse, Pitt and Market streets, on TUESDAY, 7th August, at 11 o'clock,

The entire cargo of the Barque Mauritius, a strong 3017 bags sugars, as follows,

Nos. 1 Constance—44 bags very fine white counter
2 Mon Desert—194 ditto good counter
3 Trianon, 12 ditto bright brown
4 Queen Victoria—191 ditto brown rations
5 Bonne Mere—23 ditto ditto
6 ditto—57 ditto ditto
7 Saint-Ange—24 ditto brown counter
8 Ste Anthe—223 bags brown counter
9 Vesuve—35 ditto rich grainy brown
10 ditto—35 ditto ration
11 ditto—18 ditto light brown counter
12 ditto—56 ditto fine light counter
13 ditto—81 ditto good ditto ditto
14 ditto—44 ditto light yellow ditto
15 ditto—91 ditto finest white ditto
16 ditto—11 ditto ditto ditto
17 ditto—77 ditto good light ditto
18 Mare D'Albert—141 ditto good ration
19 Belle Vue—307 ditto brown counter
20 Petite Retraite—372 ditto ditto
21 Constance—43 ditto light yellow counter
22 Mon Fermand—83 ditto good brown
23 Mon Desert—83 ditto ditto
24 Petite Retraite—250 ditto white crystals
25 Etoile—126 ditto brown counter
27 Constance—100 ditto white crystals
28 Magenta—76 ditto white counter
29 Saint-Ange—25 ditto very white ditto
31 Grand Gardes—72 ditto ration
32 Mare Vallon—102 ditto good brown counter
33 Riche en Eau—71 ditto ditto ditto
34 Etoile—10 ditto white counter
35 Pieter Both—81 ditto ration.

Terms, liberal, at sale.

In the Insolvent Estate of R. WRISSBERG, Hat and Cap Manufacturer.

By order of the Official Assignee.

In the Store, Wynyard-street, removed from 71, King-street, on MONDAY, August 6th.

On the Premises, 531 and 532, George-street, on TUESDAY, August 7th.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has received instructions from the Official Assignee in the above Estate to sell by auction, on the above days, The entire stock-in-trade of hats, caps, &c., on the above premises, being one of the largest and best selected stocks in the colony.

Particulars in future advertisements.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.
To close a Partnership.

MAGNIFICENT CATTLE PROPERTY, situate in the famous Darling district,
RICHMOND RIVER,
and comprising the following splendid runs well known as the property of MATTHEW ATKINSON and MAURICE LLOYD.
GUNNYMEDE
FAIRY MOUNT
ELLERBY, and
VIRGINIA, or PELICAN TREE,
totalling 1967 acres of purchased land, and with which will be sold
2,300 HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less, and
100 HORSES.
Terms—One-third cash; residue, 1 and 2 years' credit.

DAY OF SALE, TUESDAY, 21st August.

MORT and CO. have received instructions from the proprietors to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on the day just mentioned, the above truly magnificent cattle and stations, being one of
THE FINEST CATTLE PROPERTIES IN THE COLONIES.
Gunnymede, Fairy Mount, and Ellerby adjoin, and form one of the richest continuous properties, with extensive frontages to the Richmond River. "Virginia" is on the north side of the same River, about twenty-five miles below Casino.

"GUNNYMEDE" has a frontage of 20 miles to the Richmond River. It is bounded on the north by "Fairy Mount," on the south by the late Clark Irving's Cedar Creek (from which it is divided by a two-railed fence running a nine range); on the west by the Richmond River; and on the east by "Stephens' Creek," and the ocean separating the Richmond River from Queensland.

THE IMPROVEMENTS CONSIST OF
A COTTAGE, containing 8 rooms, built partly with cut party with planed and panelled order, with a verandah.
KITCHEN, fitted with patent cooking stove, &c., sitting room, 2 servants' bedrooms, dairy with bricked floor, saddle and harness room, with bricked floor and fire place, store room, &c. These buildings are under one galvanized roof.
WATER TANK, 12 feet square, fitted with pump, built of bricks, and connected with Portland cement.
FOWL-HOUSE and fowl yard, inclosed by 6 feet fence.
GARDEN—about 2½ acres, well stocked with vines, fruit trees, shrubs, and flowers.
About 150 yards from the dwelling-house, and under one roof, is a carpenter's shop, beef and tool house, gig-house, harness and saddle-room, three training-boxes, 6-horse stable, and large place for chaff-cutting and corn-grinding. Adjoining, at the south side, is a shed for carts, &c.; on the north side, 3 horse-yards and box for catching young colts and stallions. These buildings are chiefly of sawn timber, 16 feet high, and newly shingled; behind is a fine well in a 10-acre garden and planted with orange trees.
STONED MILKING YARD, calf-pen, and calf-yard.
TWO COTTAGES, floored and shingled—4 rooms each.
CULTIVATION PADDOCKS—about 15 acres.
THIS STOCKYARD stands about half a mile from the dwelling-house, on the bank of a lagoon; it is capable of holding from 7000 to 10,000 head of cattle.
TRIBE PADDOCKS—1 of about 400 acres
2 of about 500 acres each
1 of about 700 acres
1 of about 2400 acres
1 of about 16,000 acres.
Of about 32,000 acres, enclosed either by the river, or by strong 5-railed fences.
"FAIRY MOUNT" RUN is bounded by "Rannymede" on the south; on the west by Fawcett's Creek (to which it has a frontage of about ten miles); on the north by J. C. Bostock's Wyangarie Run; and on the east by Dorrigo Mountains. It is watered at the back by Cedar Creek.
There are a new shingled cottage has just been erected, with bottle-a garden, store, and stable, dairy and yards (all very indifferent in quality); also one of the best watered of the district, large enough to work 1000 head of cattle; and three great paddocks containing about 800 acres.
"ELLERBY RUN" is bounded on the west by Cedar Creek, dividing it from "Rannymede;" on the south by Hanging Rock Creek; on the north by the Queensland Mountains.
IMPROVEMENTS.—Good stockyard, shingled fire-place, and horse paddock.
"VIRGINIA, better known as the PELICAN TREE STATION, is situated in the fork formed by the junction of the Clarence and South Richmond, both navigable. This run is 20 miles below Rannymede, joining C. Irving's Station on the south-east. The whole of it is fenced in, in 4 large places, with everything necessary, is built on, about 20 head of cattle per day can be disposed of. This will be used as a beef-salting establishment. Plenty can load here.
Improvements on Virginia, are an overseer's cottage, 4 rooms, store, and three cottages for the men—all shingled.
OF THE WHOLE OF THE IMPROVEMENTS the most of them are four runs, with the exception of the 16 acres purchased land.
Then runs will be sold
CLOSE HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less, and of the very finest herds in the colony.
TO BE MUSTERED.
As land is so well known that comment upon it is unnecessary.
The purchased lands consist of:—

Rannymede	..	..	1523 acres
Fairy Mount	..	..	173
Ellerby	..	..	160
Virginia	..	..	111
			1967 acres.

Of which nearly one-half adjoin the town of Casino. About 150 head of horses, 20 working bullocks, drays, implements, furniture, &c., to be taken at a valuation; and the 1967 acres of purchased land at cost.

MORT and CO. would call the attention of all *bonâ-fide* buyers in pastoral properties to the very favourable terms presented by this sale. Both runs and stock are of the highest character, as well also are the improvements. The whole for
THE SALE TO CLOSE A PARTNERSHIP.
Unless invited prior to sale, for which there is ample

QUEENSLAND, MARANOA DISTRICT.
BORDERS OF DARLING DOWNS.

The GLENCARN RUN, on Dongo Creek, together with 9062 fleecy, more or less
328 Head of Cattle, more or less.
Terms at Sale.

MORT and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at The Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock,
ON AN EARLY DATE,
which will be shortly announced,
That very choice pastoral property,
THE GLENCARN RUN,
situate on Dongo Creek, close to its junction with the river Balonne.

The Glencarn Run consists of 6 blocks of country, having about 28 miles frontage to both banks of Dongo Creek.

It consists of fine open forest country, interspersed with salt bush; carrots and cotton grass on the banks of the creek. It was among the early selections of Mr. Gideon Lang, and is abundantly watered. Even during the very dry season last year there was plenty of both water and grass.

ESTIMATED GRAZING CAPABILITIES 25,000 to 30,000 SHEEP.

It adjoins the properties of Messrs. Flood and Gordon, and O'Brien.

THE IMPROVEMENTS on the head station comprise a six-room verandah cottage, overseer's cottage, woolshed, and 2 huts for men; also 3 sheepyards for drafting, stockyard, killing and skinning yards, with calf pen, &c. There are also outstations, with 4 yards and a washing station.

With the Glencarn Run will be sold the following stock:—

SHEEP.
1650 ewes or less, wethers, 3 to 6 years
1000 ditto, ditto, 2 years
1420 ditto, ewes, 3 to 4 years
710 ditto, ditto, 5 years
1300 ditto, ditto, 6 to 6 years
1011 ditto, ditto, maidens
2000 ditto, wethers, equal sexes
50 ditto, rams.
2655 more or less, sheep.

Also,
About 200 HEAD OF CATTLE, a small quiet herd.

☞ Particular attention is directed to the sale of this property, situated in one of the best parts of the Maranoa District, with room for largely increasing the number of stock now on the run, and an abundant supply of water—a purchaser would find ample opportunity of securing a safe and profitable return for his investment.

Holdsworthy, near Liverpool.

14 Head of Cattle, consisting of 3 cows, heavy in calf, and the remainder steers and heifers
2 Horses, 2 old Carts
Stock Harness, and a few articles of Household Effects.

MR. J. F. STAFF is instructed by R. H. Sempill, Esq., Official Assignee, to sell the above-named stock and chattels in the insolvent estate of N. Croft, on TUESDAY, 7th August, at 11 o'clock, on the premises occupied by James Callinan.

FOR IMPERATIVE SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

REMARKABLY NEAT VERANDAH COTTAGE RESIDENCE, Campbell-street, a few feet from the corner of the Newtown Road, opposite Camden College, known as the property and residence of LESLIE DUGUID, Esq.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 6th August, at 11 o'clock,
All that piece of land, having the following frontages:—
107 FEET TO CAMPBELL-STREET
168 FEET TO VICTORIA-STREET,
Newtown, on which is a brick-built well-finished commodious cottage with slated roof, containing 6 rooms, wide verandah, &c.; yard, with well of water at the rear; also, remarkably neat garden, planted with valuable shrubs, small orchard, &c.

☞ This is a well-known property, favourably and conveniently situated in the best part of Newtown, a few feet from the main road, close to the Railway station.

The sale is peremptory, and the special attention of those seeking a genteel residence, with every suburban convenience, is directed to it.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

GOVERNMENT LAND SALE.

THURSDAY, 9th August.
At the Rooms, Pitt-street, commencing at 11 o'clock.

COWPER WHARF,
WOOLLOOMOOLOO BAY.
Reclaimed Land, adjoining and in the immediate vicinity of the above.

CIRCULAR QUAY.
An Allotment, adjoining the above, at the north-easterly extension of Macquarie-street.

PITT-STREET, CIRCULAR QUAY.
Allotment, 18 feet frontage to above.

ELIZABETH and CASTLEREAGH STREETS.

ABERCROMBIE-PLACE, near PARRAMATTA-STREET.

CONCORD.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Honorable JOHN ROWSE WILLCOCK, MINISTER OF LANDS, to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street,
The following city allotments:—
On THURSDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,

PARISH OF CONCORD.

An island near the entrance to Iron Cove and Long Cove, Port Jackson, about a quarter mile north-easterly from Iron Cove Point:—

Lot.	No. of Portion.	Area.	Price per Acre.
A	..	a. r. p. 0 1 22	£10 0 0

WOOLLOOMOOLOO BAY.

	Allotment.	Section.	Width of Allotment. ft. in.	Price per foot. £ s. d.
B	6	2	26 0	3 0 0
C	7	"	26 0	7 0 0
D	8	"	26 6	6 0 0
E	9	"	25 6	6 0 0
F	10	"	25 6	6 0 0
G	11	"	25 0	6 0 0
H	3	3	27 0	6 0 0
I	5	"	27 0	6 0 0
J	6	"	27 0	6 0 0
K	7	"	27 0	6 0 0
L	8	"	27 0	6 0 0
M	9	"	27 0	7 0 0
N	10	"	27 0	11 0 0
O	11	"	28 0	12 0 0
P	3	4	27 0	4 0 0
Q	4	"	27 0	4 0 0
R	5	"	27 0	4 0 0
S	6	"	27 0	4 0 0
T	7	"	27 0	4 0 0
U	8	"	27 0	4 0 0
V	9	"	25 0	6 0 0
W	10	"	25 0	4 0 0
X	2	5	26 0	5 0 0
Y	3	"	25 0	4 0 0
Z	4	"	25 0	4 0 0
AA	5	"	25 6	4 0 0
BB	6	"	25 6	4 0 0
CC	1	9	30 0	3 0 0
DD	2	"	30 0	3 0 0
EE	3	11	26 6	3 0 0
FF	4	"	26 6	3 0 0
GG	5	"	26 6	3 0 0
HH	6	"	25 6	3 0 0
II	7	"	26 6	3 0 0
JJ	7	12	23 11½	6 0 0
KK	1	14	40 6	4 0 0
LL	3	"	40 6	4 0 0
MM	3	"	24 0	4 0 0
NN	4	"	24 0	4 0 0

CIRCULAR QUAY.

			Frontage to Macquarie-street. ft. in.	Depth to Semi-Circular Quay. ft. in.	Price per foot.
OO	28	106	30 0	49 7	£10

ELIZABETH-STREET, HYDE PARK.

			Frontage to Elizabeth-street. ft. in.	Area. a. r. p.	Price per foot.
PP	1	23	21 7	0 0 6½	£12
QQ	2	"	21 7	0 0 6½	£12
RR	3	"	21 7	0 0 6½	£12

CASTLEREAGH-STREET, rear of above.

			Frontage to Castlereagh-street. ft. in.	Area. a. r. p.	Price per foot.
SS	4	"	21 7	0 0 5½	£3
TT	5	"	22 7	0 0 5½	£3

PITT-STREET, CIRCULAR QUAY.

			Frontage to Pitt-street. ft. in.	Area. a. r. p.	Price per foot.
UU	3A	100	16 0	0 0 5½	£15

ABERCROMBIE-PLACE, of PARRAMATTA-STREET.

			Frontage to Abercrombie-place. ft. in.	Area. a. r. p.	Price per foot.
VV	15	"	21 0½	0 0 5½	£10

Plans may be inspected, and further particulars obtained, at the Rooms.

On MONDAY next, 6th August.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock for half-past 11 o'clock precisely.

REMARKABLY NEAT VERANDAH COTTAGE RESIDENCE, Campbell-street, a few feet from the corner of the Newtown Road, opposite Camden College, known as the property and residence of Leslie Duguid, Esq.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

MINMI.

By order of the Mortgagee.

BRICK-BUILT STORES AND PUBLIC-HOUSE, now occupied by Mr. J. Jones, at a rental of £160 per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, 13th August, at 11 o'clock,
The RESIDUE of a LEASE, having fifty-six years to run, of all that block of land, being lots 3, 4, and 6 of section No. 1 of the MINMI COAL LAND, in the parish of HEXHAM, upon which is erected a TWO-STORY BRICK BUILDING, now occupied by Mr. J. JONES as a General STORE and PUBLIC-HOUSE, at a yearly rental of £160 and the ground rent.

☞ This property is situated about seven miles from Hexham, in one of the best business positions at the Coal Fields.

Terms at sale.

NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

That choice Cattle Station,
BANNOCKBURN,
situated on the M'INTYRE RIVER, about 12 miles from INVERELL, and 100 from GRAFTON; together with capital improvements, and
2200 HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less, and
2000 BREEDING EWES, more or less.

TERMS—One-third cash; residue by promissory notes at twelve and twenty-four months' date, with 8 per cent. interest added thereto, secured by mortgage on the stock and station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 28th August next, at 11 o'clock,
The above valuable cattle property,
BANNOCKBURN is the pick of the noted Byron Plains District, and consists of open box and apple tree ridges, well grassed and very fattening. It is abundantly watered by the Bannockburn and Waterford Creeks, the former running through the centre of the run, making its carrying capabilities very large, either for sheep or cattle.

The IMPROVEMENTS are all nearly new, and in good order; they comprise
COMFORTABLE COTTAGE of six rooms, detached kitchen, and servants' rooms, store, barn, stable, and milking-yard, large stockyard capable of working 4000 cattle, with spaying bull; a grass paddock of 50 acres, and one for cultivation of 40 acres.

There are three cut-stations, with huts and yards, one newly erected.

With BANNOCKBURN will be sold the following stock, viz.:—
2250 CATTLE, more or less, to be mustered and delivered—a very choice herd—of which about 450 are spayed cows
1000 BREEDING EWES, to lamb down in October next.
, Horses, dray, working stock, and other belongings to be taken by valuation, in the usual way.

☞ A close inspection of the above property is specially invited from intending purchasers, as the station is brought forward for bona fide sale, and will be positively disposed of on the above date.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

That first-class beautifully situated Agricultural and Grazing Estate
BABY,
comprising, by grant,
2020 ACRES,
together with Baby Cottage, and all other improvements thereon. Situated at the junction of the Companion and Bringelly Roads, about four miles from the
CAMPBELLTOWN RAILWAY STATION.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on SONDAY, 16th September, at 11 o'clock,
All that piece of land situate in the county of Cook, containing by admeasurement THREE THOUSAND ACRES, more or less, bounded on the south-west side by Blaxell's, Curtis Park Farm, bearing north-west 116 chains 70 links, on the north-west by a line to the New Bringelly Road, on the north side by that road, and on the south-east by the Government Road, to be called BABY, together with all the improvements thereon.

☞ This magnificent estate was an early selection by Alexander Riley, Esq., and is well known as one of the best dairy and agricultural properties in the Bringelly district, about midway between the towns of Liverpool and Campbelltown. It is in the immediate neighbourhood of the following celebrated properties, Glenlee, Harrington Park, Werombie, Kirkham, Mollinsville, and other noted estates.

☞ As this beautifully situated first-class estate must be disposed of on the above date, by order of the mortgagee, special attention is directed to the sale. It affords a splendid opportunity for securing an extensive country freehold property in a favourite and convenient locality, and every way adapted for a gentleman's country seat.

Baby is now rented by Mr. Beasley for £240 per annum.

Particulars of title can be obtained on application to Messrs. BILLYARD and CURTIS, Solicitors, Hunter-street.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

MONDAY, 3rd September.

IMPORTANT SALE.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO ROAD AND WILLIAM-STREET, DARLINGHURST.

(THE KIRKRTON ESTATE.)
UNRIVALLED BUILDING SITES,
comprising Nineteen Allotments, bounded on the south by KIRKRTON, the residence and grounds of the proprietor; on the north by WILLIAM-STREET; on the east by the WOOLLOOMOOLOO ROAD, and on the west by a reserved road (20 feet in width), which divides them from ROSE BANK, the residence and grounds of CHARLES SMITH, Esq.

These VERY CHOICE ALLOTMENTS, the MOST VALUABLE IN THE CITY, possess numerous advantages. They occupy A MAGNIFICENT POSITION on the HEIGHTS OF DARLINGHURST, at the junction of WILLIAM-STREET and the WOOLLOOMOOLOO ROAD, the frontage to the former enjoying a northern, the latter an eastern aspect, commanding at the same time, from the elevated nature of the land, extensive beautiful views of the city, harbour, and surrounding scenery.

☞ In the present notice of this IMPORTANT POSITIVE SALE, it is only necessary to state that it is the intention of the proprietor to DISPOSE OF EVERY LOT, and to claim the attention not only of builders and speculators to the rare opportunity offered for purchasing, ON LIBERAL TERMS, a portion of this invaluable estate, but also the notice of gentlemen desirous of building for themselves residences in a noted, healthy, elevated, and favourite locality, with an agreeable aspect, and within EASY WALKING DISTANCE from the centre of the mercantile portion of the city.

THE ESTATE has been subdivided in every way MOST LIBERALLY for the advantage of buyers, fourteen of the sites front the Woolloomooloo Road, having each a frontage of 20 feet with the unusual great depth for city building allotments of from 123 feet to 136 feet, extending to a lane 20 feet wide, dividing them from the the grounds surrounding Rose Bank.

The corner allotment (a most valuable site) has a frontage of 27 feet to William-street and 101 feet to the Woolloomooloo Road, the remaining four allotments have each 24 feet frontage to William-street, with depths varying from 78 to 98 feet.

The allotments will be so offered that buyers can secure what frontage they require.

TITLE UNDER TORRENS'S ACT.

Purchasers securing an indefeasible title, transferred at a trifling cost.

TERMS—One-third cash, residue may remain secured by mortgage for three years, at 8 per cent. per annum.

LITHOGRAPHIC PLANS at the subdivision may be obtained at the Rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from W. W. BILLYARD, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 3rd September,
The whole of the well-known KIRKRTON ALLOTMENTS, at the junction of WILLIAM-STREET and the WOOLLOOMOOLOO ROAD, on the HEIGHTS OF DARLINGHURST, the most valuable position for private residences in the
CITY OF SYDNEY.

Plans of the subdivision can be inspected and obtained on application.

KINGSTON NORTH, NEWTOWN.

COTTAGE AND ALLOTMENT OF LAND, Kingston, erected by the late Mr. Hamilton, stonemason. The premises are substantially built, principally of stone, and contain: shop, 3 rooms, and attic above. The land has a frontage of 33 feet to Denison street, with a depth of 82½ feet, extending to a lane; yard, well of water, &c., at the rear.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 6th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above comfortable and favourably situated suburban homestead, near the Railway Station.

Plan at the Rooms.

CLARENCE RIVER.
FOR POSITIVE SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

Those extensive First-class Cattle Stations
GORROGAROW, and
NYMBOIDA,
Adjoining each other, situated on the South Branch of the CLARENCE RIVER, about 26 miles from Grafton.
The improvements on both stations are very important, and include large and commodious Homesteads, and all necessary buildings for efficiently working the properties.

With these Stations will be sold the following Stock, viz.:—
4600 HEAD of CHOICE CATTLE, more or less, including about 70 pure and half-breed.
2300 HEAD of SHEEP, more or less, a large proportion being ewes to lamb down in the spring; and
200 HEAD OF HORSES, more or less,
numbering amongst them some very valuable animals, a large amount having been expended on this stock.

Stores and Working Plant to be taken by Valuation.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 28th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above valuable cattle properties,
GORROGAROW and NYMBOIDA, adjoin each other, forming a very large well grassed run, capable of carrying at least 7000 head of cattle in all seasons. They are situated on the south branch of the CLARENCE RIVER, locally known as the MITCHELL, and are distant only twenty-eight miles from Grafton.

The improvements are very extensive, and comprise, on Gorrogarow, comfortable dwelling-house, containing eight rooms, with kitchen and laundry, store, dairy, and a range of buildings 70 feet long, forming a stable, harness-room, meat-house, store, &c. The weatherboard and two half are in good order; there are also two out-stations, a cultivation paddock of six acres recently fenced in, and three great paddocks containing about 1050 acres; also horse and stock yards, and two outlying paddocks reserved for yoan bred and breeding cattle.

On Nymboida the improvements are nearly all newly built, and in good order; they consist of comfortable dwelling-house of eight rooms, kitchen, and laundry, dairy, stables, and out-houses, orchard and kitchen garden, recently paled in; stockyard, two huts, and a boiling-down place. There are also three cultivation paddocks of rich land, fenced by pig-proof fences, and a large green paddock.

With the above stations will be sold the following stock, viz.:—
4600 HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less;
a choice herd, including 70 pure and half bred.
2300 HEAD OF SHEEP, more or less;
a large proportion being ewes, to lamb down in the spring.
200 HEAD OF HORSES, more or less;
numbering amongst them some very valuable animals, a large outlay and great care having been devoted to make this stud one of the best in the district.
, Stores, working stock, and all belongings to be taken by valuation by the usual mode of arbitration.

☞ The above properties can be well recommended to capitalists looking out for a profitable investment, and intending purchasers are invited to inspect the runs and stock—both of which are of a very high character. Letters of introduction may be obtained on application at the Rooms, Pitt-street.

Terms, liberal.

QUEENSLAND.

DARLING DOWNS DISTRICT.

For Positive Sale,
By order of the Mortgagee,
That compact First-class Sheep Station, known as
PIKE'S CREEK,
situated about sixty miles from WARWICK, together with extensive improvements and the following stock, viz.:—
12,000 SHEEP, more or less, and
1,200 HEAD of CATTLE, more or less.
, Stores, Working Plant, and all belongings, to be taken by valuation.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the mortgagee to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 4th September next,
The above first-class property, full particulars of which will be published in a few days.

QUEENSLAND.

DARLING DOWNS.

For Positive Sale,
THAT VALUABLE FIRST-CLASS CATTLE STATION, known as
DAANDINE,
situated on the famed Darling Downs, close to the important Town of DALBY.

With DAANDINE will be sold a remarkably choice herd of
7000 HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less, and
400 HEAD OF HORSES, more or less.
A well-known COACHING STUD.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, on TUESDAY, the 4th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above valuable and important property, full particulars of which, and terms of sale, will be published in a future issue.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

BRAIDWOOD.

EXTENSIVE FIRST-CLASS AGRICULTURAL AND GRAZING ESTATE,
MANAR, comprising 10,678 ACRES of splendid agricultural, and grazing freehold land, with FAMILY MANSION, and other valuable improvements, to which is attached 27,200 ACRES held under pre-emptive lease at an annual rent of £68, and 6000 acres of Church and School lands on the Shoalhaven River. This magnificent estate well known as the property of the late Hugh Gordon, Esq., is situated about fifteen miles from Braidwood, twelve miles from Bora, seventeen miles from Bungendore, and forty-two miles from Goulburn, and close to CURRENDOLLEY, lately purchased by P. H. OSBORNE, Esq., and other noted estates.

The Improvements are very extensive and complete. Manar House is a commodious superior Family Residence, highly finished, and well built of stone and brick, containing large hall, nineteen apartments, with three cellars in the basement, and verandahs on three sides. The out-buildings comprise: kitchen and store of stone, with spacious loft, stable, barn, fowl-house, men's huts, woolshed, 172 feet in length, all in thorough repair. The garden, orchard, and shrubbery, well stocked with choice English fruit and ornamental trees, is reported to be superior to any other in the colony.

About 4000 acres are fenced, and divided into nine paddocks, in addition to which a new paddock of above 5000 acres is now being made, the whole of the fencing material being on the ground.

On the freehold land, about five miles from the homestead and nine miles from Braidwood, there is, on the Shoalhaven River, a water-power flour mill, with machinery complete, by Shrub, all in working order, having been placed in thorough repair during the present year.

Separately from the above will be sold
A CELEBRATED SILVER MINE,
on 640 acres of land on the Long Swamp, on which the late Mr. Gordon, so far back as 1849, discovered traces of silver and copper. At that time some specimens were forwarded to Mr. R. Phillips, then at the head of the Laboratory of the Museum of Practical Geology in London, and an analysis of the same gave 71 per cent. of lead, and that a ton of the ore yielded 66 oz. 5 dwts. and 22 grs. of silver. An analysis made this year at the Sydney Royal Mint of unpicked pieces of quartz yielded 1 dwt. 12 grs. of gold, 6 oz. 1 dwt. pure silver per ton, in addition to which there was a proportion of lead, copper, iron, and zinc.

A Shaft has been sunk about 80 feet where the reef is about 4 feet wide, and rapidly widens. There is also a drive about 30 feet in depth, running along the lode for a distance of about 35 feet.

The Analysis can be inspected at the Rooms, where also further particulars of the lots can be obtained.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, 17th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above valuable properties, detailed particulars of which will be duly announced.
Plans on view at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.

On Account and Risk of the former Purchaser.

BURWOOD.

Two-story DWELLING-HOUSE, occupied by the Rev. Father Crane, situated at the junction of the Parramatta and Longbottom Roads, opposite River Terrace, and adjoining the grounds attached to the Roman Catholic Chapel.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 13th August, at 11 o'clock,
All that block of land, being portion of Lot 1 as per plan of the village of Concord, Burwood, having 50 feet frontage to the Parramatta Road, and 122 feet to the Longbottom Road, upon which is erected a brick-built two-story dwelling-house on stone foundation, with slated roof, containing six rooms, kitchen, and store, with garden, yard, well of good water, &c., at the rear.

This is a very desirable property, most favourably situated in this popular suburb on the railway line.

The site is elevated, and commands extensive views of the Parramatta River and surrounding country.

Plan at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.

CROWN-STREET, SURRY HILLS.

BLOCK of LAND on the WEST SIDE of CROWN-STREET, between the SOUTH HEAD ROAD and CAMPBELL-STREET, adjoining Mr. JAMES TERRY'S PROPERTY.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 13th August, at 11 o'clock,
All that BLOCK of LAND, having about 25 feet frontage to the WEST SIDE of CROWN-STREET, SURRY HILLS, with a depth of about 70 feet, together with the stone foundation and party wall erected thereon.

☞ This valuable allotment of land occupies one of the best positions in CROWN-STREET, on the high ground immediately above the SOUTH HEAD ROAD, and is well worthy the attention of those in search of an improved building site in the valuable part of the city.

Plan on view at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.

DOUBLE BAY.

TWO FIRST-CLASS VILLA SITES, each upwards of half an acre, fronting Ocean, William, and Cross-streets, being lots 31 and 33 of the Double Bay Estate, adjoining the property of R. S. MORT, Esq., and opposite the DOUBLE BAY RESERVE for public recreation.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 13th August, at 11 o'clock,
The following valuable freehold sites:—
DOUBLE BAY ESTATE.
LOT 1.—No. 31 contains an area of 2 rood 13 perches, and fronts three streets, as follows:—
224 FEET TO OCEAN-STREET
115 FEET TO CROSS-STREET
109 FEET TO WILLIAM-STREET.
LOT 2.—No 32 contains 2 roods 18 perches, and has a frontage of 109½ feet to William-street, with a depth of about 240 feet, extending to Cross-street, to which it also has a frontage of 113 feet.

☞ The above valuable blocks of freehold lands are surrounded by first-class properties—Brooksby, Mount Adelaide, Greenaleka, and other well-known estates.

They are only divided from the bay by the public reserve, and enjoy therefore uninterrupted beautiful views of harbour scenery, &c.

Plan on view at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

IMPORTANT SALE.

MONDAY, 10th September.

BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED WATERSIDE VILLA SITES,
VILLAGE OF BLANDSVILLE.
Blandsville Wharf.
Three Brothers Point,
PARRAMATTA RIVER,
Between Hunter's Hill and Gladesville.

This well known valuable estate, opposite Five Dock Bay, occupies, without exception, the choicest position on the Parramatta River.

It has been subdivided by Mr. Surveyor Huntley, with great care, into sites containing from half an acre to two acres, having each water frontage to the river, and commanding extensive views of the romantic scenery for which the locality is so celebrated.

The Blandsville Wharf has been substantially erected at considerable cost for the convenience of purchasers, and the steamers which ply constantly during the day will make it a sailing place.

Title guaranteed under the Real Property Act.

Lithographic Plans of the Subdivision can be obtained at the Rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 10th September, at 11 o'clock,
The village of Blandsville,
THREE BROTHERS POINT,
PARRAMATTA RIVER,
in lots to suit purchasers.
Terms liberal.

FIRST-CLASS FATTENING STATIONS
in the
WARREGO DISTRICT, N. S. W.,
known as
LAMINGTON and TORWOOD,
Having a frontage of 10 MILES to the CULGOA RIVER, adjoining the celebrated Runs of William Glen Walker, Esq., and Messrs. Beaumont and Little.

With which will be sold,
4000 First-class EWES, more or less, and
50 ditto RAMS.

Terms—One-third Cash, residue by approved Bills at one and two years, with Bank Discount added, secured on the Stock and Stations.

MR. BREWSTER has received instructions to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, Exchange, George-street Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 29th of August, at 11 o'clock.
These well grassed and watered stations in the Warrego District, N. S. W., known as
LAMINGTON and TORWOOD,
having a frontage of 10 MILES to the CULGOA RIVER.

The COUNTRY is of the very RICHEST FATTENING DESCRIPTION, consisting of fine open plains, containing an abundance of herbage and grasses suitable for fattening and breeding purposes.

THE GRAZING CAPABILITIES are ESTIMATED at from 12,000 to 16,000 SHEEP.

The IMPROVEMENTS are now, some in addition being new to station.

With the above runs will be sold
4000 breeding EWES, more or less
60 RAMS fine
4000 SHEEP, more or less,
WARRANTED SOUND and NEVER DISEASED.
The above 4000 Ewes lamb in September.

, Team of bullocks, dray, and gear complete; two draught horses and cart, set of leading and shaft harness; two saddle horses, implements, shearing supplies, stores, &c., to be taken at a valuation.

☞ The attention of small capitalists and new beginners is particularly invited to this sale, whereby an opportunity will be afforded of commencing in pastoral pursuits under the most favourable circumstances. The country for depasturing sheep is undoubtedly first-class, and the sheep being all BREEDING EWES IN LAMB, will give an immediate return in the shape of increase, while the clip of wool will also be available to the purchaser at the time of delivery.

PRELIMINARY ADVERTISEMENT.

TO CLOSE A PARTNERSHIP,
in consequence of one of the proprietors contemplating a visit to Europe.

EXTENSIVE SALE OF VALUABLE AND REMUNERATIVE FATTENING STATIONS, IN THE DISTRICTS OF W

FUNERAL.—The Friends of Mr. SAMUEL and CATHERINE BONNETT are respectfully invited to attend the funeral of their late departed son, JAMES EDWARD; to move from his parents' residence, 59, King-street, between York and George streets, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 3 o'clock. THOMAS, Undertaker, 141, York-street.

FUNERAL. — The Friends of Mr. MICHAEL MORAN are invited to attend the funeral of his late departed wife, BRIDGET, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, 4th August. The procession to move from his residence, Macquarie-street South, at 3 o'clock. THOMAS DIXON, Undertaker, South Head Road.

FUNERAL.—The Friends of Mr. WILLIAM HENRY VAUGHAN, Chairmaker, are invited to attend the Funeral of his late departed Wife, MARY ANN; to move from his residence, No. 93, Botany Road, Chippendale, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 3 o'clock. J. and G. SHYING, Undertakers, George-street, opposite Christ Church.

FUNERAL.—The Friends of Mr. AARON FOSTER are invited to attend the Funeral of his late departed Wife LYDIA; to move from his residence, Shepherd-street, Shepherd's Paddock, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock. J. and G. SHYING, Undertakers, George-street, opposite Christ Church.

FUNERAL.—The Friends of Mr. WILLIAM MILLS are respectfully invited to attend the funeral of his late departed daughter, LOUISA; to move from her parents' residence, Patent Slip Wharf, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, the 5th instant, at a quarter to 3 o'clock. THOMAS, Undertaker, 141, York-street.

FUNERAL.—The Friends of Mr. W. WILDER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved Wife, on SUNDAY, the 5th, at 10 o'clock a.m. W. T. PRICE, Undertaker.

NEW ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE.—Sole Lessee, Mr. R. Tolano.
THIS present Saturday EVENING, August 4th.
IMMENSE BILL TO-NIGHT.
Great Revival, greatest Dramatic Company in all the Australias.
The great prize Play of
EAST LYNNE for THIS NIGHT ONLY.
The entertainments will commence at 7.30 o'clock with the great and beautiful Play of
EAST LYNNE, OR THE ELOPEMENT.
Song.. "Father, dear Father, come home".. Mr. C. Walsh.
To conclude with the Ballet d'Action, arranged by Mr. Chambers, sen., entitled
JACKO, THE BRAZILIAN APE;
or the Treacherous Indians.

NOTICE.—Monthly Transferrable Tickets for the Royal Victoria Theatre, commencing on Saturday, August 4th, may be obtained at the Box Office daily, admissible every evening (benefits excepted), price 30s.

UPPER CIRCLE....ONE SHILLING.
Dress Circle, 5s; stalls, 3s; pit, 2s; gallery, 6d.
Box Office open daily from 12 till 4, where seat may be secured. Doors open at 7, to commence at 7.30.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.
SCHOOL OF ARTS, TUESDAY, August 7th.
JOINT BENEFIT of W. H. BENT and T. PEEL, of the
CHRISTY'S MINSTRELS,
for which occasion the AMATEUR BACKUS MINSTRELS and several Gentlemen Amateurs have kindly volunteered their services.
Tickets may be had from Messrs. Bent and Peel, or at Elvy and Co.'s Music Warehouse, George-street.

SCHOOL OF ARTS.
THIS (Saturday) EVENING, August 4th,
LAST NIGHT OF THE SEASON
of the World Renowned and Original
CHRISTY'S MINSTRELS.
The Largest Bill of the Season TO-NIGHT, everything new, new songs, new jokes, new dances, burlesques, &c.
REMEMBER TO-NIGHT.
COME EARLY, as this is the LAST CHANCE.

MONDAY EVENING, August 6th, GRAND EXTRA NIGHT, for the Benefit of Messrs. KOHLER and NISH, under distinguished Patronage. A Great Bill for this occasion.
Front seats, 4s; second ditto, 2s; gallery, 1s. Doors open at 7.30, to commence at 8 o'clock. Tickets for reserved seats may be had at Messrs. Elvy and Co.'s, George-street.
H. EASTWOOD, Agent.

FOLEY'S CALIFORNIAN CIRCUS.
THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, August 4th.
Positively the LAST FASHIONABLE MIDDAY ENTERTAINMENT, when will be presented a GRAND SPECIAL PROGRAMME.
SATURDAY EVENING, Last Night but One.
BENEFIT of HARRY COWLE, the Joster.
A Variety of Entertainments.
MONDAY EVENING, August 6th,
COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT, tendered by the Company to Mr. W. H. FOLEY, previous to their departure to Parramatta, Windsor, Richmond, and Penrith. WILLIAM EVANS, Agent.

GRAND EVENING CONCERT
Will be given by
MADAME E. WALLACE BUSHELLE
(sister of the late Vincent Wallace, the eminent composer),
at the
MASONIC HALL, YORK-STREET,
On TUESDAY EVENING, 7th August.
Under most Distinguished Patronage.
*** By express desire Madame Bushelle will, in the course of the evening, sing the late lamented Isaac Nathan's celebrated "Jephtha's Daughter."

PART FIRST.
Ladies' Chorus—"La Carita"—Rossini.
Duet—Soprano and Baritone—"Se la Vita," Rossini.
Scena—Mezzo Soprano—"O mio Fernando"—Donizetti.
Solo Violin, Master W. J. Turner, pupil of Mr. J. Gibbs—Rhode.
Aria—Contralto—"Casta Diva"—Bellini.
Barcarole—Tenor—"My barque in moonlight beaming"—W. V. Wallace.
Song—Soprano—"Lo, hear the gentle lark," Flute Obligato—B shop.
Song—"Loving smile of sister kind" (Faust)—Gounod.
Duet—Soprano and Basso—"La ci darem la mano"—Mozart.
Prayer and Barcarole—"Vieile sur eux." "L'Etoile du Nord"—(first time in Australia)—Meyerbeer.
Scena—Lurline—Basso.
Grand Finale, 2nd Act of Lurline—Soprano, Tenor, Baritone, Contralto, and Basso—W. V. Wallace.

PART SECOND.
1. Gipsy Scena—Soprano and Chorus—"Il sonno et resonne." "L'Etoile du Nord" (first time in Australia)—Meyerbeer.
2. Song—Basso—"Will 'o the Wisp"—Cherry.
3. Duet! Non Voler—Anna Bolena.
4. Fortune Telling Scene—(Maritana)—W. V. Wallace.
5. Song—Contralto—"Auld Robin Gray"—Scotch.
6. Duet—Soprano and Tenor—"Home to our Mountains"—Verdi.
7. Solo—Contralto and Chorus—"Per non istare"—(Maria di Rohan)—Donizetti.
8.—Song—Soprano—"Home of my heart"—W. V. Wallace.
9. Solo and Chorus—"Behold how brightly breaks the morning"—(Masaniello).
Admission—Body of the hall, 4s.; gallery, 2s. 6d. Doors open at half-past 7, concert to commence at 8 o'clock.
Tickets may be obtained at Messrs. Elvy's, Anderson's, Reading and Wellbank's, and Moss's Music Depots; and also at Madame Bushelle's residence, 5, Wynyard-square.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.—Having met with extraordinary success at his last Concert, HERR SIPP, at the request of many influential Families, has the honour to announce that he will give another GRAND CONCERT. The Programme will include Sonata by Beethoven, Fantasia by Prudent, Duo for two grand pianos, by Thalberg. Herr Sipp will be assisted by Mr. A. ANDERSON, the eminent pianist, and the best talent available in Sydney.

NOTICE.—THE ROYAL ALHAMBRA MUSIC HALL, (entrance at the Café de Paris, King-street East,) will OPEN on MONDAY, the 13th August. Elaborate vocal and musical Entertainments, supported by the best talent in the city. Commencing at half-past 8. Gentlemen only admitted, by refreshment ticket, 1s each.
GEORGE PHILLIPS, Managing Director.

NEW LYCEUM THEATRE.—Wanted, TENDERS, to redecorate the above Theatre. Apply to the Lessee, Mr. FRANK TOWERS, before TUESDAY, 7th.

NEW LYCEUM THEATRE.—Grand DRAMATIC SEASON will commence SATURDAY, 11th August. Acknowledged talent may apply to the Lessee, Mr. FRANK TOWERS, by letter, at the Lyceum.

A RESPECTABLE young Person wishes for a SITUATION as Housemaid and Needlewoman, or General Servant. Address E. R., Post-office, Randwick.

AN experienced Governess is desirous of ENGAGEMENT. English, French, Music, and Drawing. L., Post-office, Redfern.

A COMPETENT DRESSMAKER wishes EMPLOYMENT, by day or week. A. B., care of F. Larter, 92, South Head Road.

A THOROUGHLY experienced Housekeeper wants a SITUATION in town or country. C. T. M., Mrs. Pawsey, Pitt-street.

A COMPETENT visiting finishing Governess wishes for a RE-ENGAGEMENT; she has no objection to young pupils; her references are most satisfactory. E., care of Mr. Mihel, news agent, Botany Road.

A HIGHLY EDUCATED Visiting Governess will shortly be disengaged. Lessons in music, singing, drawing, dancing, and French, singly or in private classes. For terms, &c., address Music, Elvy and Co., George-street. Schools attended.

AN EXPERIENCED Nurse can take entire charge of an infant. Nurse, Home, Elizabeth-street.

A GENTLEMAN, who is musically inclined, requires private BOARD and RESIDENCE, in Balmain or neighbourhood. Address A. R., Civil Service Club.

A RESPECTABLE middle-aged Female, who can be well recommended, wishes for a SITUATION as Housekeeper. Address to R. G., Mr. Komishes, 183, Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo.

AUSTRALIAN PAPER COMPANY (limited).—WANTED, a thoroughly competent PAPER-MAKER, to superintend the Works at Collingwood, Liverpool. Apply, with testimonials, to the undersigned, at the Offices, Queen's-place, Sydney.
R. RONALD, Manager.
Sydney, 4th August, 1866.

BARMAID.—An experienced Person wanted; references necessary. G. W. F., Post Office.

BEESWAX wanted to purchase, in large or small lots. W. Larmer, chemist, Sydney.

CANVASSER Wanted, an experienced HAND can do well. Address A. B., HERALD Office.

COIR YARN.—Wanted, about a TON; quality and price. Where to be seen. X. Y. Z., HERALD Office.

DRESSMAKING.—Vacancies for APPRENTICES. Mrs. LEES, late Miss Dickie, 74, Elizabeth-st. North.

FRENCH PERSON wants SITUATION, as Nurse and Needlewoman. Colonial references. 120, Elizabeth-street North.

GLEBE.—Wanted to be Known, good Groceries can be had at Mrs. Popplewell's, Glebe Road.

GOVERNESSES, Visiting and Resident, await engagement. Engagements negotiated. Z., Sandon's, George-street.

HOUSEKEEPER'S SITUATION wanted; highest references. 21, Bloomfield-street, Surry Hills.

LIGHT SKIFF.—Wanted comfortable one. State price and address "Scull," care J. Welsh, Circular Quay.

MATCH HORSES wanted—a grey, 15 hands; and a Bay, 14-3½ hands, well bred.
Buchan Thomson.

NURSERY GOVERNESS.—A young Lady, aged 15, wishes to obtain a SITUATION as GOVERNESS to young Children; is a very fair Musician; and in addition to the usual course of English Education for young children, is quite able to teach the first rudiments of the French language. Address G. M., care of the Honorary Secretary, Home Visiting and Relief Society.

ROYAL ALHAMBRA MUSIC HALL.—Wanted, first-class Musical, Vocal, and Sensational Talent.

ROYAL ALHAMBRA MUSIC HALL.—Wanted, a Musical Director; also a Pianist. 129, King-st. E.

STOREKEEPER and Sheep OVERSEER wanted. Apply by letter only, to D. C., 289, Riley-street.

SHEEP SUPERINTENDENT wants a RE-ENGAGEMENT; the highest testimonials; would travel stock. Address Sheep, care Thomas Smith, Bookstall, Railway Station, Sydney.

SHEEP SUPERINTENDENT.—Wanted, a SITUATION, by a man of ten years' experience; good testimonials and references. Address Superintendent, 174, Cumberland-street.

SYDNEY CITY MISSION.—Suitable PERSONS desirous of being employed by this Society, are requested to forward applications, containing testimonials, not later than SATURDAY, 11th August, to the Honorary Secretary, W. B. Short, Box 73, General Post Office, Sydney.

TO DRAPERS.—Wanted, for Bathurst, a thoroughly qualified SHOP WALKER. Prince, Ogg, and Co.

TO SALESWOMEN. — Vacancy in underclothing department for an experienced Person. Perry, Brothers.

TO CHEMISTS.—Wanted a competent ASSISTANT. Apply to Medicus, HERALD Office.

TO SQUATTERS.—A married man of 14 years colonial experience amongst Stock, wants an ENGAGEMENT as working Superintendent on a Sheep or Cattle Station, or as Overlander. Address H. F. C., Cosmopolitan Hotel, Erskine-street.

TO TANNERS, CURRIERS, and others.—Wanted, by the undersigned, a SITUATION as Working Manager of a tannyard. Can either improve an old yard, or plant a new one on the most lucrative principle, having twenty-five years' practice, of which twenty years were in this colony. Address John Page, Campbelltown.

WANTED, a HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID. Mrs. Stewart, Edgecliff Road.

WANTED, to purchase second-hand Carpenters' TOOLS. T. Aitken, 315, Pitt-street, near Park-st.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. No. 4, Tyrone-terrace, Orwell-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, by a respectable young person, a SITUATION as General Servant. J. H., General Post O.

WANTED, a small BOY, at Mr. Adger's, first floor, 303, George-street.

WANTED, a BAKER. Athlone-street.

WANTED, a quantity second-hand Galvanized IRON. W. Lawrence, 440, Kent-street, near Bathurst-st.

WANTED, a General SERVANT—one that can wash and iron. 92, South Head Road.

WANTED, a German or English GIRL to nurse a baby. 34, Fitzroy-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a MAN to make small goods. P. M'Carroll, butcher, Redfern.

WANTED ENGAGEMENTS, Cooks, Laundresses, all kinds of Servants. Registry Office, William-st.

WANTED, a SHEPHERD, for a cattle and sheep station; must ride well. Haigh, agent, 221, Pitt-st.

WANTED, TEAMS, to load 5 tons machinery for South Creek. Saddington and Sons, 93, York-st.

WANTED, Sewing Machines to repair or regulate; charges low. Webster, 140, South Head Road.

WANTED, old Copper, Metal, Horse Shoes, Lead. Apply Sum Kum Tye, 199, George-street North.

WANTED, General House SERVANT, for the country. Apply to Mrs. Hunt, 81, New Pitt-st.

WANTED, SITUATION in General Store, country preferred. Address Alpha, HERALD Office.

WANTED, EMPLOYMENT by a coasting master. Address Coaster, HERALD Office.

WANTED, £12, repayable three monthly sums £5 each; security given. R. K., Post Office.

WANTED, a BOY, to make himself generally useful. 211, George-street North.

WANTED, a good HAIRDRESSER. Apply at R. H. Reynolds', opposite Victoria Theatre.

WANTED, a good second-hand WEIGHING-MACHINE, up to 10 cwt. Apply 27, New Pitt-st.

WANTED, to HIRE, a light SPRING-CART, Horse, and Harness. Red House, Pitt-street.

WANTED, 2 Boys, as IMPROVERS, to the boot-making. W. Hardwick, 636, George-street.

WANTED, a smart clean GIRL, about 16. Apply 113, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, Two BUSHMEN, and a Man to make strong boots. J. and I. Isbester, Phœnix Wharf.

WANTED KNOWN.—Saws sharpened and set, keys fitted to locks. 751, George-st., near Christ Church.

WANTED, PUPILS for the Piano; terms, 1 guinea per quarter. C. Nesfield, Pierce, William-street.

WANTED, a respectable LAD. B. Cocks, 399, George-street.

WANTED, a Family's WASHING. Address J. D., Newtown Post-office.

WANTED, a strong LAD, for a gentleman's family. For address apply to Mr. Ramsay, grocer, Balmain.

WANTED, respectable young WOMAN as Needlewoman. Mr. Mansfield, 104, Market-street.

WANTED, a strong LAD to work on a farm. W. M'Kinnon, 135, Sussex-street, after 9.

WANTED, a Ward-room COOK, H.M.S. Curaçoa. Apply on board.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply before 9 o'clock, at 638 and 640, George-street.

WANTED, a young GIRL, Protestant, to nurse a baby. Apply 181, Premier-terrace, William-st.

WANTED, a few Lessons in BOXING. Terms, R. A., HERALD Office.

WANTED, a respectable General SERVANT, used to children. 97, Woolloomooloo-st. Apply after 9.

WANTED, 14,000 Forest Oak SHINGLES. Apply to James Calder, 82, Abercrombie-street.

WANTED, a large ROOM, suitable for a Class Room. Position central. Cito, HERALD Office.

WANTED, a PIANIST, for the Saloon of Prince of Wales Hotel, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED to purchase, Chinese Silver PHEASANT COCK, or a pair. Apply 16, William-street.

WANTED, a Second COOK. Rainbow, Pitt and King streets.

WANTED, to purchase oak FIREWOOD. Cash on delivery. Thomas B. Dearin, Pacific Wf., Druitt-st.

WANTED, all kind of Left-off Clothes. Mrs. Norden's, 617, George-street, opposite Haymarket.

WANTED, a good Farming MAN, for the country. W. Short, Victoria Wharf, Erskine-street.

WANTED, a strong, useful GIRL. 39, Market-street.

WANTED, respectable little GIRL, about thirteen or fourteen, to make herself useful. Apply, after 9, Mrs. Wells, Wynyard Hotel, Clarence and Erskine streets.

WANTED, Measures and Men, for "Protectional Revenual" Agriculture. Bottles, metal. F. Bone, 424, Pitt-street South.

WANTED, immediately, an accomplished Resident GOVERNESS, in a ladies school. G., Mr. Maddock's, George-street.

WANTED, a HOUSE in the suburbs, not less than 6 or 8 rooms, stable, and garden; near railway or 'bus. Apply, stating rent, Box 138, Post Office.

WANTED, a COOK, to make herself otherwise useful, also House and Parlour Maid; good references required. Pine Villa, Newtown.

WANTED, a good plain COOK (Protestant). Mrs. Thorne, Rose Bay; or 94, Clarence-street, Monday morning.

WANTED, a female SERVANT; must be a through cook and laundress. Apply to Elliott, Brothers, Vickery's-buildings, Pitt-street.

WANTED, by a young lady, an ENGAGEMENT as Nursery Governess. Salary no object. Address A. Z., CHRONICLE Office, 370, George-street, Sydney.

WANTED, a sober respectable MAN, to fence, make a gate, and be generally useful; wages 8s. For address, apply to Mrs. Capps.

WANTED, a LADY, about 25, to instruct two children and assist in housekeeping. Address at once, W., HERALD Office.

WANTED, by a professed Cook, a SITUATION in a gentleman's family; town or country; personal references. A. B., Pierce, news-agent, William-street.

WANTED to purchase, neat COTTAGE, near Sydney, for about £400. Apply 143, Campbell-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, by a competent Servant, a SITUATION in town or suburbs, as Cook or Cook and Laundress; has good references. Address C. M., Mrs. Pawsey's, 168, Pitt-street.

WANTED, to Sell a Cart HORSE, Dray, and Harness; also mare, van, and harness. Trial given in double or single harness. Inquire George O'Brien, 491, Bourke-st., Surry Hills, or Paragon Hotel, Circular Quay.

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